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#### Intimations.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I have this day assumed charge of the Office of the American Consulate-General

at Hongkong, WILBUR T. GRACEY, Vice Consul-General in Charge. Hongkong, February 16, 1906.

AMERICAN CONSULAR NOTI-FIGATION.

ington, fixing the value of the Hongkong Dollar, experters of merchandise to the United States or the Philippine Islands, are informed that the RATE OF EXOHANGE for the Hongkong dollar from this date until further notice from this Consulste will be .502.

Consular fees will, therefore, be as TRIPLICATE INVOICES: \$2.50 Gold or \$4.98 Hongkong Currency. QUADRUPLICATE INVOICES: \$4.50 Gold or \$8.96 Hongkong

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J. N. O. LAMBERT, Surveyor to Lloyd's Register. Hongkong, February 15, 1906.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO., LIMITED.

TROM this date, and during the Absence of MR GEO. L. TOMLIN from the Colony, Mr. C. PEMBERTON has been

Appointed ACTING SEURETARY to the A. G. WOOD,

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE DIVIDEND at the Rate of \$1.00 per Share, declared at the Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting of hareholders, held this day, will be PAYABLE at the Hongkong and Shaughai Banking Corporation, on and after FRIDAY, the 16th February,

Shareholders are requested to apply to the Office of the Company for Warrants. By Order of the Board of Directors, T. ARNOLD.

Hongkong, February 15, 1906.

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THE HONGKONG ST ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

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be sent to the Undersigned who will be pleased to supply any further particulars which may be required. W. ARMSTRONG.

Hon. Secretary, (c/o Butterfield & Swire). Hongkong, February 16, 1906.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED are in receipt of Telegraphic Advice to the effect that the e.s. LOTHIAN, which sailed hence for New York on the 14th December last, has put into Maka for repairs, and it will be necessary for the steamer to dry dock there before prote ding on her voyage to New York.

DODWELL & CO., LD., Agents.

Hongkoog, February 10, 1906.

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NTO. 147 - Information has been received IN from the MILITARY AUTHORI-TIES that GUN PRACTICE will be carried out as under :-

On TUESDAY, 20th February :-From Stonecutters Island (Night Firing) towards Tsun-wan Bay, and between Chung Hue and the Mainland, at ranges up to 8,000 yards, commencing 7 P.M., and finishing at 9 P.M.

Un THURSDAY, 22nd February :-From Stonecutters Island towards Tsun. wan Bay, and between Chung Hue and the Mainland, in a Westerly direction, at ranges up to 8,000 yards, commencing at 9.3) A.M., and

finishing at 12 Noon.
On FRIDAY, 23rd February :-From Pinewood in a North Westerly direction, at ranges up to 6,000 yards, commencing at 2.30 p.m., and

finishing at 5 P.M. On SATURDAY, 24th February :-From Stonecutters Island, Tsun-wan Bay, and between Chung Hue and the Mainland, in a Westerly direction, at ranges up to 8,000 For yards, commencing at 9,30 A.M., and For finishing at 12 Noon.

On TUESDAY, 27th February :--From Pinewood, in a North-Westerly direction, at ranges up to 6,000; yards, commencing at 2.30 P.M., and finishing at 5 P.W. On WEDNESDAY, 28th February

From Stonecutters Island, towards Tsunwan Bay, and between Chung Hue and the Mainland, at ranges up to 8,000 yards, commencing at 9.30
A.M., and finishing at 11 A.M.
On THURSDAY, let March:—

From Eastern Defences, towards Waglan. at ranges up to 14,000 yards, commencing at 10 a M., and finishing at On FRIDAY, 2nd March :-

From Stonecutters Island, in a Westerly direction, at ranges up to 14,000 yards, commencing at 10 A.M., and finishing at 12 Noon. If the weather is unfavourable on either of the above dates, Practice will take place

Practice of 20th February, (Night Firing) Cancelled. of 22nd, 23rd and 24th,-

Monday 26th February. of 27th, and 28th, or 1st, 2nd and Saturday, 3rd March. All ships, junks and other vessels are to keep clear of the ranges.

L. BARNES-LAWRENCE, Captain, R.N.,

Harbour Master, do. Harbour Department, Hongkong, February 17, 1906.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LD.

THE SEVENTEENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHARE. Hospital, not last Holders in the Company will be held in MARCH next. SALARY, etc. GERS, St George's Building. Victoria, on | 8480 rising by annual increments of \$60 to SATURDAY, the 24th February, 1906, at 3600 per Annum, with Uniform, attend.

11.30 A.M., for the purpose of receiving ance, Free Furnished Quarters and an Hours or Business: 8 A.M. To 6 P.M. the testable.

Statement of Accounts and the Report of Allowance of \$84 per Annum for Fuel and shima Colliery have been completed and the General Managers for the year ending Light, this well-known best and most economical steam Coal in the East is now produced in steam Coal in the East is now produced in coal in the East is now produced in coal in the East is now produced in coal cleaning. Consulting Committee and the coal in the East is now produced in coal in the East is now pr

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from TUESDAY, 20th February, until SATURDAY, 24th Government Civil Hospital, February, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, February 6, 1906.

NAMES OF INTENDING COMPETITORS should HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

24th day of February, 19 6, at Noon, for the year ending 31st December, 1905. the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors together with a State | pany will be CLOSED from 23rd February ment of Accounts to Sist December, 1905. to the Sin March, both days inclusive. By Order of the Court of Directors, (8d.) J. R. M. SMITH.

Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 1, 1906,

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK. ING CORPORATION.

NIOTIOE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the REGISTER of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from MEETING of the above pamed Company

By Order of the Court of Directors, (Sd.) J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager

Hongkong, February 1, 1906. HONGKONG AND WEAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEET-ING of SHAREHOLDERS with po held in the OFFICES of the COMPANY, QUEEN'S BUILDINGS, New Prays, on MUNDAY, the 26th February, 19 8, at 12 o clock Noon, for the purpose of teceiving

the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts to the 31st December. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 12th to the 26th February, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors, THOS. I. ROSE, Becretary.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE THIRTY SEVENTH ORDIN-ARY ANNUAU MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the OFFICES of the COMPANY. King's Buildings, Connaught Road, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of March, 1906, at 12 o'clock (Noon), to receive a Statement of Accounts to Slat December, 1905, and the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consult-ing Committee and Auditors.

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CIVIL MEDICAL OFFICER, at the Civil Hospital, not later than NOON of the 31st SALARY, etc., of each Appointment :-

Full particulars may be had on applica-

By Order, Superintendent.

Hongkong, February 15, 1906. 254 THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO.

LIMITED. THE THIRTY-SEVENTH ORDIN ARY MEETING of Shareholders the Company will be held at the COM NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that PANY'S OFFICES, No. 3, Queen's Road the ORDINARY HALF Y ARLY. Central, Victoria, on THURSDAY, the MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this 8th March, 1906, at 12 o'clock Noon, for Corporation will be held at the CITY the purpose of receiving a Statement HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the Accounts and the Report of the Directors

> By Order. C. PEMBERTON. Acting Secretary. Hongkong, February 10, 1906.

> OHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an 18 10 11 11 11 EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL SATURDAY, 10th February, to the 24th will be held at the Registered Offices of the day of February (both days inclusive), Company at Queen's Buildings, Victoria, in during which period no Transfer of Shares the Colony of Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the TENTH day of MAROH, 1908, at 12 (IN LIQUIDATION) o'clock Noon, when the Resolutions set out below, which were passed at the Extraor-dinary General Meeting of the Company held on the Sixteenth day of February, 1906 will be submitted for confirmation as

Special Resolutions. By Order of the Board, JAMES WHITTALL, Secretary.

CESOLUTIONS: (1). That the Articles of Association: the Company be altered in following manner: The following Article shall be substituted

130. The Board, through its Secretary.

for Article 130, hamely :

shall make Xearly Statements of the Accounts of the Company from the let day of January to the Slat day of December, in each and every year, which shall be duly audited and pre-sented to the Shareholders, at each of the Ordinary Mootings of the Company, together with a Report on the general position of the Company. That the Board, through its Secretary, shall make a Statement of the Accounts of the Company as from the 1st day of May, 1905, to the 31st day of December, 1905, which shall be duly audited and presented to the Shareholders at the next Ordinary Meeting of the Company to be held during 1906 and that, inasmuch as the Accounts of the Company have Company's Office, Lakerander Buildings.

Des Voeux Road Central. to the Shareholders to the 30th April, 1905, no further or other

Company for the year 1905, shall be called for by or presented to the Shareholders in respect of Article 130 as this day substituted. Dated the February 16, 1900.

Statements of the Accounts of the

## COTTAM & Co., Ld.,

YORK BUILDINGS.

TAILORING DEPARTMENT.

LOUNGE SUITS.

AND OHEVIORS. PRICE:

\$32.00, \$36.00, \$38.00 \$40.00.

REMOVED

YORK BUILDINGS.

CHATER ROAD, AND INVITE INSPECTION OF THEIR STOCK.

NEW PREMISES

ORGANS

MUSICAL

INSTRUMENTS S. MOUTRIE & Co., LD.

YORK BUILDINGS, CHATER ROAD

NEXT DOOR TO MESSES KRUSE & CO.

TIME TABLE.

WEEK, DAYS. 7.00 a.m. to 7.30 s.m.... Every 30 minutes. 7.30 a.m. to 8.00 a.m.... Every 10 minutes. 8.00 a.m. to 8.30 a.m... Every 15 minutes. 8.30 a.m. to 9.30 a.m.... Every 10 minutes. 9,30a.m. to 11.00 a.m... Every 15 minutes 11.30 a.m. to 12.45 p.m.. Every 15 minutes 12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes /1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m... Kyery 15 minutes. Central, under the sign of The Globe 11.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes Hotel. 2.15 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes. 3.80 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes,

5.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes. 8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m., 9.45 p.m., to 11.15 p.m. every half hour.

SUNDAYS. 8.00 a.m. to 9.00 a.m... Every 15 minutes. 9.00 a.m. to 9.80 a.m. .. Every 30 minutes 9.30 a.m. to 10.30 a.m.. Every 15 minutes 10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes 12.00 Noon to 1.00 p.m. .. Every 10 minutes 1.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m...Every 16 minutes 5.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m...Every 10 minutes 6.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m...Every 15 minutes .00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m...Every 10 minutes NIGHT CARS as on Week Days.

BATURDAYS. Extra Cars at 11.30 and 11.45 p.m. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON

Liquidatori, FOR SALE.

THE GOOD-WILL and STOOK-IN-TRADE of TAI WO, Photographers, of No. 36, Queen's Road Central

(Corner of D'Aguilar Street and No. 36, Queen's Road Central). For further particulars, apply to Tailors.

THE PRISONERS OF WAR. 

Transport of Russians to Odessa.

While it was originally arranged that the Russian troops were to be transported from Japan to Vladivostock and thence to Russia overland, a large proportionof the troops are now being sent to Odessa, in consequence of the disturbances at Vladivostcok. Contracts for the transport of the men have been concluded by several Koba shipping firms, among whom are Mesars, Samuel, Samuel and Co. This firm, acting as agents for the charterers of the British steamer " Belgian King," has entered into a contract with Mr W. H. Down, acting as agent for the Bingo Dock Co., Ltd., by which the latter contracts to equip the "Belgian Klug" for the conveyance of eighteen hundred Russian troops from Vladivostock to Odessa. The necessary alterations to the steamer are to be completed by the 23rd inst., by which time, judging from the terms of the contract, the "Belgian King," which is a vessel of 2,153 net tons, will be equipped to convey the men comfortably to Russia.

This is the second ship fitted out by Mesers Samuel, Samuel, & Co. for the transport of troops.

> MODES AND MATTERS FEMININE. (A, V) - 2(V) = 1

Blond lace may be revived by breathing upon it, and shaking and flapping it. The use of the iron turns the lace yellow. (4) 1 This not only gives flavour to the

brown a little, it is unnecessary to use browning. 3 ( See 1997) All vegetable for soups and stews ought to be sweated, that is, cooked with a little butter in a covered stewpan for five or ten

vegetables, but if they are allowed to

minutes before adding to the stock. Cold, left-over potatoes may be mashed with butter, pepper, salt, milk, and beaten egg. Quantities according to taste. Put a tablespoonful on a buttered paper, and bake in a brisk oven.

To clean glass bottles put into thom fine boals, either with or without water, and shake them well. The water may be hot or cold, according to the substance that fouls the bottle. Charcoal left in a bottle or jar for a little time will take away disgreeable smells.

Notes on Novelties.

Housemalds in livery are the latest inpovation in "smart" London houses. One fashionable woman has attired her maids in neat skirts, tight-fitting bodices, with natty double-breasted waistcoats of yellow and black, with tiny brass buttons on either

dairy show recently held in London was a nest contrivance by which butter could be made out of fresh milk in lixty seconds at

One of the machines exhibited at the

A free bed for cats is maintained in an animal hospital in Philadelphia. It is a large cage of polished nickel, with a porcelain floor that slides, out for cleaning, and

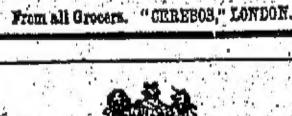


TABLE SALT Every grain of food

is made more

nourishing by using

it in the kitchen and at table.



MAGISTRACY. NO. 98-It is hereby notified that a MEETING of HIS MAJESTY'S POLICE MAGISTRATES and JUSTICES of the PEACE for the Colony will be held at the Magistracy, at 2.15 P.M., MON-DAY, the 19th February, 1908, for the purpose of considering the following appli-cation under the Liquor Licences Ordin-

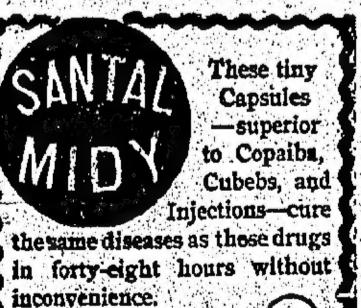
to ADOLPH WEINGARTEN the Publican's Licence to sell and retail intoxicating Liquors on premises No. 184 Queen's Road. F. A. HAZELAND,

Hongkong, February 17, 1906.

Police Magistrate.

To transfer from one Isynon SILDERMAN

ances, 1898, viz.: -



Postunctional troubles, delay, pain

Each Capsule beers the name

and those irregularities peculiar to the sex. APIOLINE

CHAPOTLAUT Prescribed by the highest French Medical authorities and superior to Tansey, steel Drops and Penny

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Hangkong, February 9, 1905.

The TRANSRER BOOKS of the Com-WASHING BOOKS. pany will be CLOSED from the 21st February, to the 7th March, both days SIMPLY DELICIOUS. have as yet equalled Van Houten's (In English and Chinese, in solubility, agreeable taste, and - SOLE AGENT: H. RUTTONJEE, nutritive properties."-HEALTH. TT/ASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now General Munagers GOES FARTHEST. be had at this Office. -I'r co. 81 nach Hongkong and Kowloon. Hongkong, February 12, 1916, CHIMA MAIL Office.

A STATE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PERSON OF

with an outfit of porcelain feeding utonsile, a pneumatic bed, and an abundance of soft clean blankets.

In raincoate pure and simple the fine waterproofed silks in rich colorings trimmed with huge buttons are decidedly the vogue. These are always long and loose, both as to body and sleeves, but may be belted in to the figure. Collars and cuffs of a contrasting color or a different shade are also seen. A rich red silk coat of this sort, with big white pearl buttons and white water-proof velvet showing in the collar and cuffs, is a cheerful sight in a rainstorm.

A rather odd combination of colors worn at an English wedding combined blue. white, yellow, and violet The bridesmaids' frocks were made of blue taffets with bolero jackets of Irish crochet. Their hat were or trimmed with blue plumes. ORIENTAL and their necklaces were slender gold chains having pearl and amethyst pendants. Each carried a large bouquet of yellow ohrysanthemums. At an Irish wedding there was a much prettier combination of wreaths of pink heather and white tulls veils for the bridesmaids.

#### HELPLESS WITH RHEUMATISM.

THE case of Mr George West, of 161, Evelyn Street, Deptford, London, England, is exceptionally interesting. Mr West says :- 'I used to think I should go mad with the constant suffering from kidney trouble and rhoumstism. I could get no peace, no rest, no comfort, day or night, It made people ill to see me struggling to try to walk. My back was so woak that I thought it would break in two, and at last I lost the use of my limbs and my feet had -no feeling in them. The pains in my back were just as though someone were pulling the joints out of the sockets. The rhoumstism, doubled me up, and I used to wish I cou'd die and be out of it all. But now I am well and bright again, and I can get about without the sticks I had to use before, and I enjoy splendid health.

· It wis right back in June of 1903, that Doan's Pills made me well, yet I am still well, and believe my cure to be a lasting

This testimony is quite unsolicited, and you are welcome to use it." Mr Edward G. Evans of 135, Childers Street, Deptford, S.E., kindly enderses the facts of Mr West's aplendid cure by Donn's Backache Kidney Pills, in the following:-Before using Doan's Pills, Mr West was away from business five menths, and was so disabled with rhoumatism that at every stop he took his kness nearly touched the ground It was awful to see him trying to walk, and at last he could only just manage to move about by using sticks. He is splendid and well now, and has kept well ever since his cure, although that was over

:A YEST AGO. Rhaumatism shows a lax condition of the kidneys, and the presence of uric acid in the system in great excess. It is often accompanied by other kidney symptoms, such as Gravel or Gravel-stones, Watery Swellings in the Flesh, Cloudy Urine, Thick Sottlement -Sandy or White-after the water has been standing 24 hours Urine is Scalding and painful in passing, there is a feeling of Weariness and Pain in the Back, and the patient Aches in every Limb.

Doan's Backsche Kidney Pills are successful in curing these kidney troubles because they dissolve the crystallised uric cleaned and restored to health.

Doan's Backsche Kidney Pills are 2/9 a box, or 13/9 for 6 boxes. To be had of all chemists and medicine-dealers, or direct from the proprietors, the Foster-McClollan Co., 8, Wells Street, Oxford Street, London, England, post free on receipt of price

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THE new Twin Screw Steel Steamers KWONG OHOW. 1,309 tons ..... Captain T. R. MEAD. KWONG TUNG,

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Passage Fare. Single Journey ... \$4.00 Meals ... ... ... 31.00 each. The Company's Wharf is a short distance West of the Harbour Master's Office. SHIU ON S.S. CO., LTD.,

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FARES :- Week Day 1st Class, including cabin and servant, Single \$3, Return Ticket \$5. 2nd class \$1, 3rd Class 50 Cents. Every Sunday there will be an Excursion, at the following rated :- Let and 2nd Class Single Ticket \$1, Return \$2, 3rd Class, Single 30 Cents, Return 50 Cents, Steerage 10 Cents.

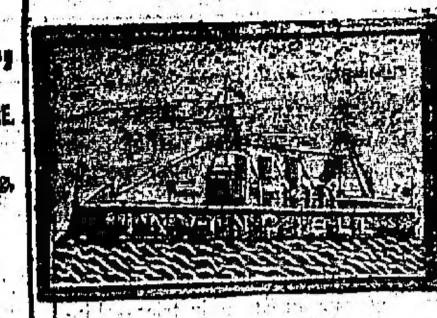
Any Meals can be supplied on Board at

a charge of \$1.00 per Meal. On Sundays, Passengers desiring to have a Private Cabin which has accommedation for two or more passengers, will be charged \$3 extra. First-class Passengers who do not care to return on the Excursion Sunday, will be allowed to do so the following day (Monday) on production of the Return Half Ticket. Should the Stoamer not run on the Monday, owing to the Boiler Cleaning, due notice will be given by the Captain, and the Half Ticket will be available for the following day. The Ship is lit throughout by

The Steamer's Whart at Hongkong is at the Western and of Wing Lok Street. SAM WANG COY. BL Queen s Road Central.

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### Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES MESSRS HUGHES & HOUGH have been instructed to Sell by Public

TUESDAY, the 20th day of MARCH, 1908, at 12 o'clock

AUCTION.

Noon, at their Auction Room, No. 8, DES VOUX ROAD CENTRAL (Corner of Ico House Street),-THE VALUABLE LEASEHOLD registered in the Land Office as SUB-SECTION No. 2 18 SECTION A OF INLAND LOT No. 25

And THE REMAINING PORTION OF SECTION A OF INLAND LOT No. 25. This property comprises Nos. 1, 3, 5 and 7. LOWER LASCAR ROW, Victoria, Hong-Particulars and Conditions of Sale may be had from the Vendor's Solicitors;

Messra DEACON, LOOKER & DEACON, No. 1, Des Voorx Road Central; And also from the AUCTIONEERS. Hongkong, February 17, 19'6.

PUNIES! PONIES! THE Undersigned will hold their AN-I NUAL SALE of RACE PONIES

by Public Roup as under :-

TUESDAY, 20th February, 1906, at 4 r.M., opposite the City Hall,

WEDNESDAY, 21st February 100. 4 P.M. at Kennedy's, Causeway Bay. Repository, upwards of FIFTY LOTS. Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS :- As usual. HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneera: Hongkong, February 16, 1906. . 324

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions from CAPT. T. E. COCKER, to Sell by Public Auction,

### SATURDAY,

the 24th February, 1906, commencing at 2.45 P.M., at his Residence, No. 2, -DES VEUX VILLES, The Peak,

FURNITURE Comprising: TEAR EXTENSION DINING TABLE, SIDE-BOARD with MIBROR, DINNER WAGGONS, WRITING DESES, LEATHER COVERED ARM-

CHAIRS, PICTURES, VASES, LACE CURTAINS, CARPETS and Rugs, &c., &c.; BRASS MOUNTED DOUBLE IRON BED-WARDROBES with BEVELLED. MIERORS, TEAR BUREAUX with BEVELLED MIRRORS. MARBLE TOF WASHETANDS.

Toiler Sets, Chests-of-Drawers, &c., &c.; PANTRY, KITCHEN and BATHROOM REQUISITES.

A Few Pieces CANTON BLACKWOOD WARE, One COTTAGE PIANO in good condition by 'John Brinsmoad & Sons.' TERMS :- As Customsry. On View from Friday, the 23rd February.

GEO. P. LAMMERT, Auctioneer. Hongkong, February 17, 1906.



### PUBLIC AUCTION.

Particulars and Conditions of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 26th day of February, 1906, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land at Peng Chau Island, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 years.

Particulars of the Lot. Boundary Measurements. It It. It. It. 日本 An per plan. ... 日本 225 1.800

PUBLIC AUCTION. 592 Particulars and Conditions of the letting

by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 26th day of February. 1906, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excollency the Governor; of One Lot of CROWN LAND at Kowloon, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 years commencing from 22nd day of January, 1906, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

Particulars of the Lot. Boundary Measuremonts. 100 63 1 180 237 19.03216217.018

#### Intimations. To Let.

NEW YORK, December 14th, 1906

I had hoped to make some statement

you before this, but I have believed it was

best to wait until I could give you a final

conclusion in regard to the financial con-

that I should have full power as to men

and methods, and with no plodges of any

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TO THE POLICYHOLDERS:

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TQUITABLE T IFE TO LET.-FURNISHED. COCIETY TALLIOT COTTAGE! No. 6, CON-DUIT ROAD, For Six months Immediate Possession. Apply to P.O. Box No. 338. UNITED STATES.

LETTER TO POLICYHOLDERS. TO LET. FROM THE PRESIDENT.

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Storage of any Cargo. Floor Area 6,100 square feet each. JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.

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BUILDINGS.

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LIURNISHED—For 9 months—from 1st P. April, 1906, SASSOON'S VILLA.

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THE MANAGER. Apply to which the Society has a dominant or im-DAIRY FARM CO., LD. portant interest, or with which the Society has special relations, the ownership of SUITABLE FOR OFFICES. stock other than that owned by the Society

C. H. GRACE,

TO LET.

HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT

TO LET.

COOD HOUSE, Partly Furnished

TO LET.

N OFFICE in ALEXANDR

TO LET.

TTOP FLOOR (5 Rooms) 19, QUEEN'S

FIRST FLUOR (4 Rooms)

Hongkong, February 10, 1906.

Laundry Co., Ld.

Polo Ground.

No. 6, CLIFTON GARDENS.

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NAUGHT ROAD (near Blake Pier).

GODOWNS PRAYA EAST.

HOUSE, Moderate Rental.

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OFFICES, in Course of Erection Cox

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ONE FURNISHED BOARD.

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KELLY & WALSH, LD.

Hongkong, February 12, 1906.

Care of 'CHIRA MAIL' Office.

& AGENOY, CO., LD.

should be ascertained so far as practicable.) 7. The subjects covered by the report of ROOM in PRINCES BUILDINGS the Investigating Committee of which Mr Frick was Chairman should be fully inves-LAUTS, WEGENER & CO.

HONGKONG CLUB. TO LET.

should be carefully examined. Subsequently a still more elaborate plan O ROOMS, on the Ground Floor of the Annex, from 1st September next, of investigation was agreed upon with these accountants, and I doubt if any American For particulars, apply to the undersigned.

under which they have been made.

6. The relations between the Society and

the trust companies; banks; safe deposit

accounting may be improved.

insurance company ever before had such an exhaustive examination. It has taken a large force of men five months to ascertain the exact financial the balance sheet transmitted with the b

following note and reproduced on pages 6 New York, November 25, 1905. CODOWN No. 3, NEW PRAYA, Ken-Mr Paul Monton, President, The Equitable Life Assurance Society of

the United States, 12), Boardway, New DEAR Sm: - The exhaustive examination which we have made of the affairs of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States is so far completed, that we are now able to furnish you with a Balance Sheet showing the true Financial Position of the Society on September 30th, 1905. The Assets of the Society as claimed were all found to be ou hand, and amounted in value to G \$416,166,500. 0 as shown by

297 the Balance Sheet. The Surplus over and above all Liabilities amounted to G \$67,142,865.42. A conservative revaluation of the Assets, including a re-appraisal of all the real estate owned by the Society or covered by mortgages held by the Society, has resulted in a reduction in certain of the values adopted in the Society's last Annual Report, principally in Real Estate and in Stocks of certain financial institutions.

Yours very truly, (Signed) PRICE, WATERHOUSE & Co., Chartered Accountants. by A. Lowes Dickison, F.O.A., C.P.A. (Signed) HABRING & SELLS.

Certified Public Accountants, by ELLIAR W. SELLS, C.P.A. You will be gratified to learn ; (1) That all the assets claimed by the

Society are on hand, are of a high grade, and are conservatively worth (2) That, over and above all liabilities, the surplus is G \$67,142,865.52, about BUILDING at CAUSEWAY BAY, seven-eighths of which is a fund for division formerly in occupation of the Steam

among exisiting deferred dividend policies at the end of their accumulation periods. (3) That the reduction in the book value of our assets and surplus is caused by a revaluation on a conservative basis, and in no way reduces the income of the Society. The decrease in the value of assets in FLATS in MORETON TERRACE, facing the chiefly in real estate which was carried at prices too high and in shares of certain financial institutions which were carried at market prices based on transaction which were deemed by the accountants to be excessive.

BETRENCHMENT Economies amounting to G \$600,000.00 208 a year have already been introduced, which if capitalized on four per cent. basis would be equivalent to an additional investment of over G \$15,000,000. This more than covers the marking down of assets. I expect to institute still further economies of a radical character. RESTITUTION.

HOUSES in AUSTIN AVENUE, Kow-Under the past management transactions involving the exponditure of large sums of SHOPS and FLATS in ROBINSON ROAD, money have been carried through frequently without any proper authority of the Board of Directors and with very meagre HUMPHREYS' ESTATE & FINANCE bookkeeping records, so that it has been difficult in many instances to secure 272 explanation of certain transactions which have taken place during the last ten years, some of which involve a financial loss to

the Society. The liabilities disavowed by the Society, and the amounts restored to the Society approximate G \$1,000,000, and legal pro-ceedings have been instituted for the For Sale at The Office Mark Orrect recovery of considerable additional sums.

### Intimations.

ANNUAL AUDIT. . . . It will be the policy of the new administration of the Society to insist on an independent audit of its accounts as to its fiscal condition, once each year, the result of which will be published.

NOMINATION OF DIRECTORS. Under the change in ownership of a majority of the stock, the shares were at once put in trust and Directors are now nominated by the trustees-Hon. Grover Cleveland. Justice Morgan J. O'Brien, and Mr. George Westinghouse. Thirtsen Directors are chosen annually, and the Trustees will each year offer an opportunity to the policyholders to express their preferences in respect of the choice of Directors.

FOLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS. It will be the policy of the Society, herefull. after not to make contributions to political investigation. This explains the delay in campaigns. It is my opinion that we have no right to use the funds or the Society for On June 9th last, under the condition any such purpose,

REAL ESTATE MORTGAGES. In the last ten years this Society has kind to any one, I was elected by the loaned over G \$120,000,000 on real estate Directors of the Society as CHAIRMAN mortgages, mostly in large cities. Only in of the BOARD, and at once assumed the six of these cases has it had to take property active management of the Society's affairs. under foreclosure and in these six instances Soon after I was elected PRESIDE T the property was sold so as to net a profit. of the SOCIETY and the Office of Chair. It will continue to be the policy of the man was abolished. Bociety to make investments of this One of the first acts of my administra- description,

COST OF INSURANCE. Price, Water-house & Company, chartered The very essence of life insurance is accountants of Great Britain and New safety and this can be secured only by

York, and Messre. Haskins & Sells, reasonable premiums. URNISHED, NORMAN COTTAGE certified public accountants of New York, A great many Equitable policyholders WEST, Peak Road. A Five-roomed to investigate the affairs of the Society, are doubtless asking themselves the quesunder directions to render complete and tion whether it will pay them to continue exhaustive reports on the following sub- their policies. To such I wish to say most emphatically that my investigation of the 1. The Society's annual expenses, includ- affairs of the Society has convinced me that ing legal exponses, advertising expenses, there is no cheaper way for the policyagency expenses, and cost of securing holders of the Equitable to have sound life insurance than by retaining their policies. 2. The real estate investments of the As I have pointed out, the surplus of over lompany, including in the case of each G \$67,000,0 0, are safely invested upon a parcel the value at which it is carried upon basis which returns an excellent rate of the books of the Society: the income interest upon the revised valuations, and I which it yields; and the fair valuation of expect in due time to accomplish such the property, whether above or below the economies that the cost of administration value at which it carried upon the books and securing new business will be reduced of the Society. (If necessary, real estate to the lowest possible basis consistent with experts may be employed in ascertaining safety and efficiency. L accordingly, the value and income of the real estate, believe that by continuing your policies in 198 subject, of course, to my approval as to the Equitable you will receive life insurance at the lowest cost convisient with

3. The other investments of the Society; safety. their character; and the circums ances | - Ttherefore advise --your premiumes to allow your policies to 4. The Society's surplus and the manner lapse will be doing yourselves injustice. in which it is carried upon the books of the Your contracts with this Society are as safe and sound as anything earthly can be. 5. The methods of keeping the Society's Where lapses have already occurred the accounts, and the respects in which its agents of the Society will cheerfully assist in restoring policies.

EXTRAORDINARY REPENSES IN 1905. I congratulate you and all policyholders. companies, and other institutions with in solvent concerns on the reformatory which the Society is affiliated by ownership tosults on the sgitation of the past year. of considerable amount of stock or other-This Society alone has undergone four wise. (In the case of every corporation in separate investigations since January lat. The extraordinary legal and other expense entailed thereby is amply compensated for by the enforced restitutions and checked waste herein above referred to and by the final assurance you now have of the wealth and solvency of your Society. I am convinced that this and other investigations and the resulting stimulation of discussion 8. When the report of the New York superintendent of Insurance has been cerns like the Equitable more effectually made that report should be carefully studied and except matter according to the could have been described and except matter according to the could have been described. made that report should be carefully stu-died and every matter covered by it or by the recommendations of the Commissioner have been destructive of individual repudstions, the utility of life insurance has been more fully demonstrated than ever before. There will be no effort by the new administration to have the biggest company in the world, the effort will be to make it the best and safest. Conservative lines will be followed. It will be the policy not to months to ascertain the exact financial solicit or ascure new business at the ex-status of the Society, now fully exposed by peuse of the present policyholders, and in section of the world is unprofitable, that field will be abandoned.

Over 98 per cent of our death claims are settled within 24 hours after proof of death is received, and since January lat, 1905, through all of the agitation concerning life. insurance, this Society alone has paid out in death claims and benefits of other kinds over G \$116,799 every working day. Assuring you that it will be my constant endeavour to conduct the affairs of this Society in a manner that will morit your hearty approbation, I am,

Very truly yours, PAUL MORTON, President. BALANCE SHRET.

September 30th, 1905. Secured Loans......113,776,008.04 Bonds, -Stocks and other 

Companies deposited with Foreign Governments and Premiums in course of 5,895,442,64 Collection ..... Agents' Balances ..... 7.664,640.78

Interest and Rentals Due ... 4,014,093.65 Total Assets...G. \$416,166,500.10 LIABILITIES.

General Insurance Reserve : not present value of all outstanding policies computed with 4:03 and 31 por cent interest ..........342,802,061.00 Jurrent Liabilities : Death claims, endowments, an-

nuities and dividends due and unpaid ...... 2,553,784.81 Commissions and Current received in advance...... 1,399,864,68

Capital Stock | 100,000.007 Total liabilities ..... 349.023,634.68 416,186,600,10 We hereby certify that in our opinion

the above balance sheet is correct and is properly drawn up so as to show the true financial position of the Society at September 30th, 1905. (Signed) PRICE, WATERMOUSE & Co. (Signed) HASKING and SELIS.

Hongkong, February 8, 1906.

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1	(cork tipped) large	50 &	100	3.0
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7	Princess, gold			
	tipped (Indies) small 1	00		2.0
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Chicken's Giszards ..... 4 cta.

Halibut, Fresh Canadian .....40 cts. Honey, Best Australian ... 60 cts. per ib jar. Kidneys Australian Sheep ... 5 cts. each Oysters, American, large size, \$2.50 per tin. Australian Oysters 21 doz. b'tis \$1.00 ., bot . a large bottle

Rabbita, Australian 1st Grade, 65 cts. each Saurages, Australian Fritz ... 60 cts. per lb Sausages, Own Make (of Aus-

Salmon, Fresh Canadian .....40 cts. ...
Tongues, Australian Sheep ...20 cts. each
Turkeys, Australian (plucked),70 cts. per 15
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On the 14th February, at 16 Morrison

Hill Road, at the age of 22, Emily, the building for example. It is surely dearly beloved daughter of Annetta Papier. Shanghai papers please copy. HAYLLAR, -On January 7, at the Villa Alberti, Florence, FRANCES ANSETTE, the wife of Thomas Child Hayllar, late K.O, of

### MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Amusements. p.m.-Performance by Hougkong Amateur Dramatic Club in City Hall Miscellancous.

7 p.m .- Milltary Gun Practice. Transfer Books of Green Island Cement Co., Ltd., close from this date to 24th February inclusive. Goods per Banca not cleared at 4 p.m. on this date subject to rent.

#### General Memoranda,

WEDNESDAY, February 21:-Teanfer Books of Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld., close from this date to 7th March inclusive.

FRIDAY, February 23 :-9 p.m.—Performance at City Hall.

Transfer Books of China Fire Im Trance Co., Ld., Close from this date to 8th March inclusive.

ATURDAY, February 24 :--11.30 a.m.—Meeting of Green Island Cement Co., Ld., at General Manager's

Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, at the City Hall. 2.46 p.m.—Auction of Bousehold Furni-ture, at Des Vœux Road Villas, Peak.

SUNDAY, February 25 :-Goods per Java not cleared at 4 p.m. on this date subject to rent.

MONDAY, February 26:-Noon-Meeting of Hongkong & Wham- Take an auld man's advice and learn pos Dock Co., Ld., at Co.'s Office. play gowf. 3 p.m .- Auction of Crown Lands at the Public Works Department's Offices. Goods per Oceanien unelaimed after this date at Noon will be subject to rent and landing charges. Goods per Persia undelivered after this

## The China Mail.

date subject to rent.

HONOKONG, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1906.

### A NOTE OF OPTIMISM.

THE advice tendered by some poet who has faded out of recollection to "face the sunshine with all your might" is evidently being wholeheartedly followed in America by the entire commercial community. From the newspapers there is an inspiring chorus of optimism, unmarred by any note of warning from even the most conservative organs. Absolutely unanias far as material prosperity is concerned, 1906 is to achieve a record It is well perhaps to let some of these glad voices speak for themselves. ". is stating only facts," declares The Financier (New York), "to say that the United States enters the year 1906 in splendid condition, and the pros-ENGLISH ALE to be pects-barring untoward calamity, and the remote contingency that foreign combined with extreme lightness troubles may affect us politically-are such as to lend encouragement to the belief that the next twelve months should prove the most prosperous in our history as a nation." The Wall Street Journal, similarly, observes that

to 1906 building are even more

sanguine than a year ago." This

is the sort of reading that pleases

patriotic Americans. They are glad

to learn that their country is going

the prophets of evil who appear to

instead of barkoning to political Jer & Co., Ltd., General Agents,

ching sub-prefecture, Fangtien province. "little risk is involved in making the Dowager commanded the other day several prediction that at least the first six princes of the Imperial Houses to send months of 1906 will be the most prosperous in the history of the United the lads, as it is intended to select States," "and there is every prospect the best one to succeed his Majesty of a record-breaking activity in all King Han at some future day, should branches of production, transportation and trade." Bradstreet's, a journal contemporary now states that among the more likely to be over-conservative youthful princes who have been admitted than over-enthusiastic, takes this hope-"If like the sons of Prince Tsai Chân, 4th order ful view of the coming year: satisfaction with the past and con-3.00 fidence in the future are at all reliable guides, 1906 is likely to equal, if indeed it does not surpass, the year drawing to a close. The volume of orders booked . should exceeds any previous letter, seems to show that in all likelihood year in the country's history, and high under present circumstances, this youthful prices as yet seem to exercise no effect upon consumptive demand. Iron and proclaimed heir-apparent or "Ta ako, steel of all kinds are heavily sold ahead, as are also shoes, cotton and woollen goods, lumber, hardware, and a myraid of other products. Wheat enters the

with an enlarged area. Predictions as

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. MAR Leen U. Streeter, proprietor of the Worcester, Cape Colony, Standard we have been in South Africa, Chamberahead, and sensibly do not encourage lain's Cough Remedy has always been ker in our household - My wife has found it to be shvaluable with the children and oronpy

emiahs turned their backs upon doubt and darkness and faced the future confidently. We cannot speak such brave words as America perhaps, but we can point to the fact that British that this year promises to be record breaking in the prosperity it brings to some of our great industries-shipbetter to direct attention to cheering

ingly proclaim to a scoffing world that t looks very dark shead. It is very interesting to note, says a writer in the King, how golfers, when they are gathered together in convivial entertainments, seek to enshrine their golfing memories either in song or in

facts such as these than to face away

from the sunshine and then wonder-

the Leeds Golf Club dinner, added this When I sit in the club at the close of the And hear brother golfers discussing the

As they fight o'er again the game they jurisdiction. And swear that "that stymic was rather care not, I know not, where pleasure

But I know I'm in excellent company. The Rev. H. T. S. Gedge, vicar chora of York Minster, the captain of the club, conferred upon the members the privilege of hearing an original golfing song, of which the subjoined was the alised the Throne for sanction to establish

Gin ye want to be young, and no to be suld, That yer bluid may run warm instead o' deid Tae le canty and crouse, not dowie and

The movement for friendlier relations between Germany and Great Britain we are glad to note, steadily gaining ground in both countries. Each British subject who does not allow his patriotism to develop into Jingoism should accelerate to the utmost that is in him the better understanding that makes national as well as individual life smoother and more pleasurable. Two sensible individuals whose interests were intertwined would not allow some trial on a charge of committing a breach of trifling misunderstanding to continue to the Bankruptcy Ordinance, was called embitter their relations with the sinister the Supreme Court this morning possibility of a disastrous rupture. The wiser of the two, even at the sacrifice of a little pride, would frankly explain and the other would rejoice in seeing a Higher Salaries. cloud, which though intangible can still cast a shadow, dissipate into nothingness and fade from recollection as from sight. Nations also can follow the commonsense course, and Great Britain and Germany are making a belated This ALE, brewed expressly mous seems to be the opinion that, discovery of the fact. The mental picture of these two great powers standing in amity clinking glasses in good fellowship is surely better than that which showed them scowling fiercely at each other over some misunderstanding which both were too proud to clear up.

### LOCAL AND COAST NEWS.

The Tientsin A. D. C. were to play A.Night Off" last Monday.

Complaints are being made that the Japanese are felling timber in the Hsing-

As will be remembered the Finnress their young sons into the Palace where tutors had been provided to Instruct the Emperor himself eventually die child'ess. A Peking letter to a northern into the Palace, their Majestics appear to (Prince Ohing's son); Prince Yu Hsir, 4th order, (Prince Chang's grandson); Prince Tsvi Haun 3rd order (the Emperor's fourth brother) better than than the others, and the Emperor is especially fond of his nephew, that is to say, the son of the last-named prince. This, according to the prince, whose, name is P'n Kuang, will be

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flourish among the British. It would symptoms have disappeared with astonish ing but pleasing rapidity under its influence. For sule by All Ocalers; WATKINS

LOCAL AND COAST NEWS.

There is a coal famine in Tientein and

Taotai Huang of the Telegraph Service at the Russian Church, Shan, sal, by the foreign trade is steadily increasing and had been ordered to Manchuria to take over the telegraphs held first by the Russians and then by the Japanese.

> The Shangpu recently telegraphed to the Governor of Shansi stating that a conciliatory attitude should be adopted with regard to the Peking Syndicate's mining

Professor J. W. Jenks was appointed by Secretary Root to receive the Chinese Travelling Commissioners at San Francisco, and naval and military honours were also to be paid to them.

Customs barrier at Kalgan, it is now stated that goods coming through the Chankiakou poetry. Mr. Ernest Turner, in singing and Tsakuken station will be required to the song entitled "Good Company," at | pay " consumption duty " only.

> The Government has telegraphed to the Viceroys and Governors of the different provinces, ordering them to take a proper Imperial Railways have been suspended census of the number of opium smokers and dealers in the provinces under their

The Shanghai Nanfanpae contains an interesting article on Chinese in Java, in the course of which the astounding statemont is made that \$10,000 of the Java Chinese contemplate naturalising them selves as Japanese subjects.

. Viceroy Yuan Shih-k'ai has memoriat Tientsin a Normal College of the higher grade for students from Honan, Shansi, Shensi, and Kansu, the funds to be provided by those provinces jointly.

H. E. Chao Erhesen has telegraphed to the Waiwupu to ask the Japanese Minister to abolish forthwith the offices of the Japanese Administrators at Talienwan. Yingwo (Newchwang), and Kaiping, but the Waiwupu are only considering the

Mr King, assistant magistrate at the International Mixed Court, who was partly hospitals. responsible for the recent trouble, resigned his post recently and loft for his home in Huchou, in order to be present at the wedding of his younger brother who is to be married to-day.

When U Pan, who was committed for Attorney General approunced that he did not propose to file an indictment, and consequently the prisoner was discharged.

It is reported that the Waiwcpu has inoreased the stipends of the Ministers to Great Britain, France, Russia, the United States, and Japan by 3,000 tacls annually. and that of the Minist ers to other countries by 2,000 tacls.

Bankrupt's Alleged Crime.

The case against Choy Chong Li, alias Choy Chung, the bankrupt, who was committed for trial on a charge of a breach of the Bankruptcy Ordinance, was further postponed to-day until the next Court of was on the steamer " Dumbarton " in 1867, Criminal Sessions.

Bussia Protests. The Russian Minister has protested sgainst the proposed building of a railway from Ili to Sanchou, Ka., with Belgian capital, on the ground that the money goods merchant of Chicago, died at New should be borrowed from Russia, and the York on the 16th ult., aged 71. His wealth signing of the Belgian contract has been in estimated at from £20,000,000 to

postpoord in consequence.

Demanding an Indomnity. The Sincenpuo publishes a dispatch from Peking to the effect that Sir Ernest Satow has been making a determined demand upon the Chinese Government for Tls. 80,000 as an indemnity for losses suffered by British subjects during the riots of December last in Shanghai.

Railway Matters.

The Governor of Chokiang has informed the Waiwupu and the Shangpu that depreciation, etc., and carry forward you he has refused the request of the British | 676,072. Consul that the survey of the Soochow-Hangchow-Ningpo railway be proceeded The Theatre. with. By order of H. E. Tang Shao-yi, Director-General of Railways, great efforts are being made to complete the Honan-Loyang branch of the Ching-Han railway within the next six months.

Lost with all Hands. The little steamer "Scott," which carried so many holiday-makers last year between Shanghai and the Saddles left Moji on the 15th of November last for Ocean Island, a 14 days' voyage, having been chartered to ply between Ocean Island and Sydney, N. S. W. She has not been heard of since she left Moji, and 80 guineas insurance has been paid on her. It that she has been lost with all

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LOCAL AND COAST NEWS. A strike of 620,000 miners in expected

It is reported that Potuna, Manchuris, is to be opened to foreign trade.

The boycott is injuring the business of the merchant millers on the Pacific coast.

The Japanese ironelad "Suwo," ex

"Pobleda," has been taken to Nagasaki for An Austrian application to re-establish

a bank in Féngtien has been sent in to the

Waiwupu. H. Er Yuan Shih-kai continues to find berths for delinquent officials cashiered by Vicercy Te'on.

The "Asahigawa Maru," sunk by col-It having been decided to abolish the lision in the Inland Ses on the 4th ult, bas

. The Tientain Olub inaugurated its new Club-house with a very successful Fancy

Dress Ball, on the 8th. Some of the trains on the Chineser

owing to the scarcity of coal.

Experience has determined the Japanese War Office to discard the use of balloons and carrier pigeons in war.

In the Interport Rugby Match at-Yokohama on the 10th, the northern portbest Kobe by two tries to one.

The withdrawal of the whole Japanese army from Manchuria will probably be completed by the end of March. Dr Kaname Haraguchi has been en-

gaged as a railway engineer by the Chinese

Government, at yen 12,000 a year. A correspondent of the "Matin" at St. Petersburg says that Russia does not know what to do with her army in

The Mitsul family of Japan has given yen 20,000 to the Army Fund for the relief of officers and men in the military

Financial Adviser, etc., at Seoul, has resigned owing to disagreement with Marquis Ita. The Empress Downger wants to give Tis. 100,000 to start a Normal School

It is reported that Mr Megata,

and needlework. There is a rumour that Great Britain and Japan propose to undertake digging the Nicaragus Canal, and to finish it Defore

the Panama Canal.

where girls may be taught silkworm culture

The first man-of-war built at the Mitsu Bishi Yard at Nagasaki, the destoyer Skirafsnyu," 381 tons 29 knots' speed, was launched there on the 12th.

pointed a Committee, with General Baron Kodama as Chairman, for the post-bellum adjustment of affairs in Manchuria Mr E, M. Neale, an American engineer, who has been employed in Japan since he

The Japanese Government has ap-

Mr Marshall Field, the great dry

died at Yokohama on the 3rd, at the age

£25,000,000 sterling. The Iwasaki and Mitsui families of Japan have contributed each yen 25,000, Mr Zenjiro Yasuda yen 15,000, and Mr Rikachiro Okura yen 5,000, to the fund

for the relief of the famine in N. E. Japan. The report of the Nippon Railway Co. for the past half-year shows a divisible balance of Yen 4,814,194. It is proposed to pay a dividend at the rate of 13 per cent per annum, make appropriations to reserve,

Our amateurs must have approciated the crowded theatre on Saturday night when they gave their third production of Princess Toto." Such encouragement. however, they richly deserve, for the performance must be classed whole company, both to those who appeared before the footlights and also those whose work prevented them from being seen. Encores were very frequent and floral tributes many, the former, if anything being slightly overdone on some. occasions. The dancing of the three ladies was greatly admired, and well it might, for it is all too seldom we have the pleasure of seeing snything so good. To Mr Denman Fuller, the musical director, and his orchestra, too much praise cannot be given for the excellent music during the evening.

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#### TELEGRAPH. TELEGRAPH. BY

#### HOME POLITICS:

THE LABOUR PARTY.

Keir Hardie and Tariff Reformers.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Bombay).

LONDON, February 17. labour demonstration has been

presidency of Mr Keir Hardie. The chairman repudiated the idea that his party had come to an understanding with the tariff reformers.

It is believed that the Labour party will become more and more socialistic. strongest dissatisfaction at the Government's attitude regarding the old age pensions.

### MR BALFOUR'S CANDIDATURE.

#### Opposed by Liberals.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter; via Bombay).

London, February 17.

In view of Mr Balfour's declarations concerning the tariff the City Liberals years. have now decided to oppose his

#### [REUTER'S SERVICE.] OHINESE ON THE RAND.

#### Dissension in the Cabinet.

election.

J. James

LONDON, February 16. It is stated that there are differences in the Cabinet on the subject of the proposed reference of the question of the Chinese in the Transvaal to the legislature; the advanced section of the Cabinet protesting against such a breach of faith with the electors.

THE TROUBLE IN NATAL. Swift Reprisals.

LONDON, February 16. Two of the natives concerned in the recout murders have been court martialled and shot in the presence of their tribe, and the Kraals and crops of the natives implicated have been destroyed.

#### UNITED STATES NAVY. A Volunteer Fleet.

London, February 16. The Washington Sonate has passed a shipping bill for creating a naval volunteer force, and subsidising thirteen mail services, including those to China and Japan.

LONDON, February 16. the United States for Hamburg.

### THE MOROCCO CONFERENCE.

LONDON, February 16. Berlin reports that mediation at Algeciras is premature, as direct negotiations between France and Germany are not yet fruitless.

### A Strange Incident.

LONDON, February 16. A strange incident has occurred at Marchica, near Melilla, where the French have established a factory; the Moorish orniser "Turki" pursued and shelled the French steamer "Zenith," calling at Marchica, and the Protenders' artillery on shore shelled the "Turki;" the French cruiser "Larande" then intervened and ordered the "Zenith" to return to Oran.

### EARTHQUAKE IN COLOMBIA.

a shocks lasted for a week, many towns by this time amounting to some couple of Licence to sell by retail intoxicating liquous Uldham saw them enter the Chapel honed things will soon sattle down seein to in Northern Ecuador and Southern thousand would have made it hot for the Colombia have been partially wrecked and "braves" had they not thought, as usual, hundreds have perished.

#### THE SITUATION IN CHINA. Mr Conger's Views.

LONDON, February 16. Mr Conger, the United States Ex-Minister to China, believes that trouble in China is imminent, but that it will be anti-Manchu people that he would get justice for them, rather than anti-foreign.

### NATIONAL SERVICE LEAGUE.

LONDON, February 17. Lord Roberts has issued a manifesto defining the policy of the National Service League, and urging military instruction as | tian of Denmark. part of school curriculum, and after that compulsory universal naval and military training for a period of four months.

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## THE FRENCH SENATE.

Election of President.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Renter, via Bombay). London, February 17.

M. Dubost has been elected President of the French Senate, in place of M. Pallieres, recently elected President of the Republic. held at the Queen's Hall, under the

#### NORTHERN NEWS.

(N.-C. DAILY NEWS SERVICE.)

The Garrisons at Peking.

PEKIKO, February 15. The question of the withdrawal of the All the speakers expressed the foreign garrisons from Peking is still unsettled. The Foreign Ministers are in communication on the subject with their respective Governments, and China is trying to learn the intentions of Foreign Powers by means of her Ministers abroad.

#### Back from Captivity.

Tokyo, February 15. The British steamer "Cambroman" with the Japanese prisoners returning from Russia arrived at Kobe this morning.

### A New Japanese Loan,

chequer bonds to the extent of two hundred million yen at 9 i, redeemable in thirty

#### Delay at Vladivostock,

Tokyo, February 15. It is officially stated that owing to the irregular working of the icebreakers at Vladivostock, merchant steamers require several days to enter and leave the harbour, a condition that is not liking to be remedied for more than a month.

### German Treaty Revision.

PEKING, February 13. The German Minister proposes to add the three following clauses to the German-Chinese Commercial Treaty :-1.—That the Mining Regulations recently

formulated by the Board of Commerce shall be revised. 2.-That German subjects residing in

China shall have free permission to trade in the interior. 3.—That the right of steam invigations

#### en all the rivers of China shall be conceded to German subjects.

### A Marine Disaster.

Tokyo, February 13. The steamer Kubo Maru, from Otaru to Sakata, foundered near Okushiri Island yesterday morning. The captain and twenty of the crew were drowned, and only one man was saved.

#### Railway National-Japanese isation.

Tokyo, February 13, It is understood that the Railway Ma- he denied taking part in it himself. tionalisation Bill involves fifteen principal CHINESE IMPERIAL MISSION. lines, including the Nippon, Sanyo, accused was sentenced to two years' hard Kiushu, and Seoul Fusan Railways. It is brought forward on the ground of military new bonde.

### Bad Weather.

Tokyo, February 13. Hokkaide has been visited by a blizzard are missing, and six houses collapsed, with factory. the loss of twenty-two lives.

### FREE RIGHT AT WOOSUNG.

### People Versus Military.

As the people of Woosung were recently holding a procession of one of their idole, some " braves " belonging to the garrison in that town, having insulted some young F. A. Hazeland presiding and there being women who were sightseeing, were set upon by the populace and badly beaten. The companions of the soldiers who had

got off in time then went to the camp and discretion the better part of valour, and

run off. Then the magistrate of Paoshan appeared on the scene and with difficulty pacified the people, who demanded the punishment re-admitted Mr Grist was informed that of the guilty soldiers. Fortunately, says they were not satisfied as to his client's the N.-C. Daily News no one was very badly hurt and so, having promised the the magistrate finally got them to return to their homes.

Yesterday the minute guns, usual in the case of Royal funerals, were fired i connection with the funeral of King Chris-

Big Fire at Yokohama. known as Cherry Mount Hotel, on the generally the reverse of satisfactory. Yokohama Bluff, were burnt down at 5 (Laughter,) s.m. on the 8th inst. The numerous guests escaped in their nightclothes and lost nearly everything. The loss is estimated at Yen 100,000; of which Yen 30,000 was be obtained from all dispensarios insured with the Yokehama and Yen (quickly by post). Gives instant relief.

#### THE CHANGPOO RIOT.

Account of the Destruction.

Three coolles were brought before Mr F. A. Hazeland, at the Magistracy, this morning, by Mr C. D. Wilkinson who charged them with refusing to obey his lawful orders. Mr Wilkinson said that the coolies were engaged by him principally as chair coolies. On Saturday last they were ordered by Miss Wilkinson, through the boy, to wash the outside of the versudah windows. They refused to do the work saying they were chair coolies and it was not their "pidgip," The order was repeated, but they again refused flatly. On hearing of their refusal he discharged them and then

WOULD NOT WASH WINDOWS.

The Servant Difficulty.

### THE CANTON BRIGANDS.

go to gaol for a month.

#### Capture at Shek-wai-tong.

When the house of the Roy. Dr. Besttie issued a proclamation offering a reward of a thousand dollars to those who would arrest any or all of the robbers. Vigorous efforts that the game was up, confessed to the smouldering fire. The spark came in a it was better, for on the reads the four whole affair. The marauders have been way we did not anticipate and although loss of us together attracted considerable athanded over to the chief of the local police of life was only on the side of the rebels to be examined, and it is hoped that others yet serious damage has been done to the of the ruffians will also be arrested.

#### RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY.

Shun Tim was charged at the Criminal Sessions, this morning, before His Lordship Sir Francis Piggott (Chief Justice) on a charge of receiving stolen goods.

The Attorney General prosecuted, and accused was undefended. He pleaded not guilty and the following jurors were called; -Messts P. H. F. Stone, C. G. S. Mackle, J. W. Boyes, S. I. Michael, L. Turner, 1

R. Fox and T. J. Mullan. The Attorney General explained that the man had been committed for trial on a charge of armed robbery, but the oridence was not considered sufficient to warrant an indictment, and the charge was consequently reduced to receiving. The robbery took place at Shaukiwan West on

January 19. Evidence was heard, in which it was stated that the prisoner pawned a jacket, (part of the stolen goods) giving a fictitious name and address. When arrested the prisoner gave the names of two men, whom he said were concerned in the robbery, but

A verdict of guilty was returned and

The charge against Wong Tu Ku of The Chinese Imperial Mission has left and Industrial necessity. The cost, 450 armed robbery was also reduced to receivmillion yen, will be covered by the issue of ling. The accused pleaded not guilty and the following jurors were sworn :- Messrs R. Saxon, W. Gnodfollow, L. F. R. Unsworth, Ho Kom Tong, C. E. P. Herbst

and W. G. McBride. After-evidence was called the Chief since Friday last. One hundred and fifty Justice directed the jury to return a verdict fishermen, and twenty-three fishing-vessels of not guilty, the eviden e not being satis-

The accused was accordin ly discharged.

### LICENCING COURT.

#### The Police and Good Characters.

A meeting of Justices of the Peace wa hold at the Magistracy this afternoon Mr happened on the Monday. also present Messrs C. D. Melbourne, consideration of an application from Adolph

Mr E. J. Grist represented the applicant. Captain Badeloy intimated that there was a police objection to the transfer and the Justices deliberated in private with the result that when the applicant was

any questions as I do not know what objections the police raise. If you would tell ma what is alleged against him I might answer it. I hear that an anonymous letter bas

letter has nothing to do with our action, After the applicant had been asked some questions as to the business he carried on in Manila, Capb Badeloy, addressing Mr Grist, said-If your client boro a good character in Manila you ought to be able to get a testimonial from the police there. Mr Grist-The police are not very fond

of giving testimonials as to character, the The eight buildings in the compound testimonials you get from the police are The application was adjourned for a fortnight for further information.

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(BY DR. J. HOWARD MONTGOMERY.) For the past two months rumours have foreigners; (3) the destruction of Christian to Amoy. native Churches and organisations. How

remembered that he should take advantage ters printed thereon. Before being admitted Changpoo he had seen the burning build- metropolis, when he will spend three or of the ordinance to prosecute them. The into the societies these papers were burned, ings and had also seen men with our forks four days in the ancient capital. Preparadefendants admitted having refused to wash | the sakes mixed with water, which mixture | and other things, which were casily the windows, the second man saying that was drunk by the candidate. The effect of recognisable, being foreign. Before this, Prince. The programme as so far decided they were not accustomed to such work. this draught was said to be curious. In while on our way to Tng-Kio we met a upon includes an exhibition of works of art They were prepared to accept dismissal but some cases the men became stupid as if priest who told us of the trouble and at the Kikokutei, the magnificent villa of not to wash windows. The defendants intoxicated, in other cases wild, full of advised us to return or certainly we would to Arashiyama by shooting the rapids of were each ordered to pay a fine of \$10 or martial ardonr, but whether these results be killed. When this news reached us our the Hozu River, and geisha dancing at the were real or imaginary remains an open chair bearers fled towards Changpoo, doubt- dancing-hall at Gion-machi. During his question. Some of the papers are actually less for a share in the plunder and our stay in Kyoto the Prince may also visit in our possession, but we have not experi- burden carriers did likewise. We had to mented with them. In many of the villages act at once. Only two routes were open to small placards were posted with the comman us; one the way we had come, through Chinese story that a stone had fallen from Kon-jun, a place supposed to be infeated gands, the Pun Yue magistrate immediately and assured success to those who took up the other via Chang Chew, where things the cause. It is also said that forges were | were quieter. By the first mentioned route hard at work making long knives and there was a ten mile walk to be covered, by swords for the rebels and a store of guns the latter eighteen miles. It being about onergetic has been one He Tin Loung, whe shout a days' journey on foot from Change route and abandoning our goods we set whilst fighting in Manchuria. J paness was put in charge of an additional gunboat.

Having got a clue he and his men surrounded the suspected rendezvous—a place called
Shek-wai-tonz, which is not far from the formation was sent to the British Consul It is intended to issue five per cent Ex. Shek-wai-tong, which is not far from the formation was sent to the British Consul not look foreign, so we put some estables scene of the tobbery. They succeeded in at Amoy, (Mr Mansfield) who communicat into a basket, parcelled up with rugs and arresting four of the robbers, even though ed with the Viceroy at Foschow and asked pillows and started. After going four or arresting four of the robbers, even though ed with the viceroy at roochow and asked five miles we found it getting dark and the latter used fivestime in order to protect him to make investigations. The New Year walking was dangerous as we had no lamp themselves. The police also found some of passed-quietly enough and we thought and the moon was clouded. Fortunately the stolen property. The report says that things were settling down to normal again : we saw an old flat bettomed boat going Dr Beattie has recognised one of the still we felt the entire district was disturbed down the stream. We barg sined to captured thieves, who thereupon, seeing and only needed a spark to arouse the It was a great relief for though slower

> Mission in Changpoo. At a village, some three miles from abandoned the boat and finished the re-Changpoo, other missionaries have recently started work and have a Chi- pectations we had no difficulty in obtaining nese house, I believe, altered to a a boat and wa left Kon-jun at 11.30 p.m. chapel. Some members of the new church and arrived in Amoy about ten o'clock the had a quarrel with two members of the secret societies, and the Church members took it upon themselves to arrest these Consul and the Foodhow Viceroy soon had appeared for the defendant. two men. They detained the prisoners troops in Changpoo and the rest of the with the result that the other secret society city, except the houses and property of members attacked the Chapel, liberated Mr. Oldham was kept in the Yamen their colleagues and plundered and burnt for a week, being exceedingly well-treated. the Chapel. This, I believe, sat all the He believes it was the prompt action to each claim and asked them would they others going. This happened on Monday, February 5, on the day the Rev. Mr Oldham was returning to Changpoo from | trouble. A few days later a head of one a week-end visit to a neighbouring of the societies was captured and under village, where he had heard reports. On entering Changpoo he found the streets be instituted schools and taught rebels in lined with people, all wildly excited, and very much surprised to see him Mr Oldham, accompanied by the Viceroy,

return. Miss Maclagan, one of our lady visited the scene of the Mission to ascertain missionaries, had gone to a village called Tng-Kio for that week-end and did not purpose returning to Changpoo until the following Tuesday. Miss Lecky, my wife and myself were on our way to Changpoo from Amoy and had to go by this village,

Tng-Koi: the native pastor came to tell him that the rebels had entered the city and advised him to go to the Yamen for protection, Mr Oldham thought the case was not quite as serious as that and went across to the native pastor's house, on the opposite side of the road. Just as he got in a band hospital and the new hospital are in the of men, wearing the yellow badges, and same condition. Of the boys' school one armed with long knives, rushed along the street and made for our Chapel. They burst open the doors but some one in the the roof has a large hole in it, while only be happy. crowd called out that it was a Ja-so Kau- the four walls of the Chapel stand. The hoe (a Protestant Church) and the rebels ladies orphanage and the inn for the friendly man; sent for these men and tried families are burnt down, while ten or to talk them into a better frame of mind despatched for soldiers. Nothing further but some of the people around assured

On Tuesday morning the Mandarin and free. One can imagine the number which General from Ting-son Island called on Mr O'dham and assured him that he was out of eighty or ninety iron bedstoads in and Captain Lyons. The business was the quite safe and that the trouble had blown over for the present. Sourcely- had they city, broken and empty. departed, however, when a large crowd of Changpoo was quieter on Monday when one Isyder Silberman of the Publican's the same rebels came rushing along and Mr Mr Oldham was escerted to Amoy. The manently stationed at Peking. on the premises No. 184 Queen's Road and distribute themselves to the various their normal state. Plundering on a small Central, under the sign of "The Globe mission buildings. The pastor's house, scale has been reported from surrounding where Mr Oldbam was staying, was also villages. attacked, but he, with the pastor and his family, escaped over a wall and through some neighbouring houses to the house of a heathen man who gave them shelter. Just about this time (11 s.m.) the various Mission Buildings (three foreign houses, large Mr Grist-I am not in a position to ask | hospital, boys' and girls' school Chapel and orphanage) were attacked and plundered, some of the buildings being set on fire. Changpoo, but these with the General of Capt. Badeley-I may say that the Tang-sea made an attack on the rebels at two o'clock. After a brief encounter the resols were routed, four being killed, twelve captured and a number wounded. The gates of the city were closed, but fearing snother and better planned attack, the soldlers withdrew to the Yamen, and the work of plunder and destruction was carried on by the ordinary riff raff of the town. Mr. Oldham and the others were kept in hiding until late in the afternoon, when the Mandarin, being informed of their whereshoute by one of our servante who had voluntarily gone

into biding to be with Mr. Oldham, came

Oldham arrived at the Yamen he saw the heads of some of the prisoners lying on the ground and later more were behended, thirteen in all. The news of this and the effect of the heavy rain provented the rebels from re-attacking.

Just before the dawn of the following been rife in the Changpoo region day Mr Oldham get a message through that Secret Societies had been formed with with letters for Miss Maclagan and myseli a triple object, viz. (1) the overthrow of telling us of the first riot and warning us local governing bedies; (2) massacre of all not to enter Changpoo but to return at once

Miss Maclagan had left Tng-Kio when these societies were at first started it we arrived there but she was overtaken is difficult to say, but members visited the and turned back. We sent a message to surrounding various villages compelling find out what had happened and to see if so many from each village to join and there was any serious danger. The mesgiving them a badge of membership—slips senger seturned about 3 delock and reportof yellow paper with unintelligible charac- ed that from a hill about four miles from the 7th promixo on his return to the Heaven, in which were revelations known by these societies and where the news of only to a few, which foretold future events | the rising would already have reached, and was believed to be at a place called Un-sio, 3.30 in the afternoon we chose the shorter

taken down and were allowed to get in. heard people saying "the foreign devils are running away." Going through the various property of the English Presbyterian villages we were able to get more or less covered up and finally, about ten p.m., without molestation. Contrary to our ex-

> next day, nothing the worse, only very wat from the heavy rain. The energetic sctions of the Amoy of the Mandarin in beheading the accept. The plaintiffs declined to do so. thirteen rebels that saved the situation and prevented any further spread of the torture gave a good deal of information regardings the leaders. He admit ed that Changpoo and other places. On Friday done is as follows :--

Mr Oldham's house and my own have been burnt out, only the walls half or quarter their original height remain. There is not a trace of anything we ever possessed. The ladies' house is absolutely empty of everything; the doors, windows and venetians have been carried away. When Mr Oldham entered the compound The house of the Rev. J. Beattie (who is home on furlough) is empty and wrecked in the same way. The hospital central building, including the dispensary, operating room and ward is burntdown; the hospital chapel is burnt down and adjacent buildings have been damaged by fire. The kitchens are burnt and the remaining wards are empty and smashed. The women's block is burut; the remaining two being plundered and demolished. The girls school has been robbed of everything and stopped and went away. The local also burnt. The pastor's house has been mandarin, an energetic, capable and very smashed and the houses of three Christian twelve more are shattered. There were no lives lost though there were some narrow or to induce them to hold their hands for escapes. One man was seized twice and awhile, and in the meantime runners were was about to be beheaded by the rebels,

them he was a good man, paid all his debts and did no one any barm, and he was se took part in the affair when I mention that the hospital not one can be traced yet. The Mission safe has been found outside the

### WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by Mr Figg of the Hongkong Observatory :has risen much over E. Japan, and fallen moderately over N. China. Pressure is now highest over the Sea of Japan, and a belt of low pressure lies over There were only about 50 soldiers in the S. coast of China and the Pacific towards the Loochoos. Moderate variable winds may be expected n the Formosa Channel and the N. par of the China Sea. Forecast :- Moderate E. winds; drizzling

### Afghanistan Uneasy.

rain and mist.

LONDON, February 2.- A mutiny has occurred among the Russian troops Merv, where martiel law is at present in force. The situation is critical, and much unessiness is felt in Afghanistan.

The Church Trouble in France. LONDON, February 2 .- The Pope ha telegraped advising the French Catholics to submit to the taking of investories of personally to conduct them to the Yaman, the property of the Churches, and deplo-being escorted by soldiers. When Mr ting the outbreaks of violence.

PRINCE ARTHUR'S VISIT TO JAPAN.

#### Arrangements at Tokyo and Kyoto.

According to a Tokyo dispatch, Sir Claudo and Lady MacDonald will give a ball at the British Embassy on the evening of the 20th instant in honour of Prince Arthur of Connaught. Invitations will be extended to about 1,000 Japanese and foreign officials in Tokyo, including Princes of the Imperial Family, Ministers of State, and the foreign Diplomatic Corps.

Prince Arthur is expected to pass through Kyoto about the 27th instant on his way

#### THE SURRENDERED JAPANESE.

#### Grave Accusations.

The whole of the Japanese officers and men now returning from imprisonment in Russia are to be court-martialled, says Kobe paper. The majority of the exprisoners fell into the hands of the Russians

The position of Lieutenant-Commander Miyoguchi and other naval officers and men, and Captains Shiing and Sakurai and other army officers is considered to be entirely on a different footing. The abovementioned were on board the "Kinshumaru, and surrendered without firing a single shot to save the ship and the troops on board, notwithstanding the fact that the vessel was armed. It is believed these officers will have considerable difficulty in explaining their action.

### A YACHTSMAN BUED.

Claim for Wages.

Cheung Ting and Cheung Lee sued Mr A. Turner, Architect, for \$8 each, due for services rendered in sailing the yacht Mary and Joan." Mr R. F. O. Master

The case was heard in the Summary Jurisdiction, and when it was called the Puisne Judge pointed out to the plaintiffs that \$5 had been paid into Court in respect Cheung Ting stated they left Hongkong V II H H A TA U II L's

on January 22 and found little wind outside Later on the mast was enapped owing to a squall striking them, but ultimately they were towed into Shatin, arriving there on the 26th. Altogether it was eight days before they arrived back in Hongkong, and they claimed wages at \$1 per day.

Chaung Lee corroborated the svidence. Mr. Master said he was prepared to produce evidence that another boat had loft Hongkong on the 22nd and had arrived at Taipo on the 23rd.

The Pulsne Judge-It is ridiculous to suppose they set out on the 22nd and did not reach Shatin until the 26th. Mr Master-The defendant did not

ount. It was suggested that the plaintiffs stopped in Shaukiwan celebrating Chinese New Year. The Puisne Judge-They had no busi-

pess to be there. Calling the plaintiffs up the Puisne Judge told them he could not believe their

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

story and advised them to take the \$5 and

H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught has been robbed of £500 worth of jewellery in South Africa.

Sir Robert Bredon of Shanghai has been nvested by the German Emperor with the Order of the Orown of Prussis, 2nd class, with the Star.

Mr Douglas Story, the special correspondent in the Far East for the new London daily paper, The Tribune, will be per-

The Hon. Mr A. W. Brewin has consented to deliver a lecture on "Fungahui" at the City Hall, on Tuesday, the 20th of February, at 5.15 p.m. The Hon. Mr. H. Musical Comedy E. Pollock will take the chair.

General Nodzu has been decorated by the Kalser with the First Class of the On the 19th at 11,55 a.m. The barometer Hohenzollern Sword, in return for kind treatment accorded to Prince Auton, who witnessed the operations in Manchuria with General Nodzu's headquarters.

> The Japanese Legation in Seoul was closed on the Sist ultimo, when Mr Hayashi gave a dinner to Corean Ministers of State. Ponding the arrival at Seoul of Marquis Ito, the Residency-General is in charge of General Baron Hasegawa.

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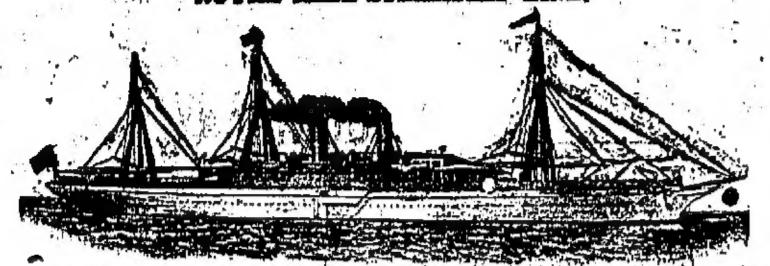
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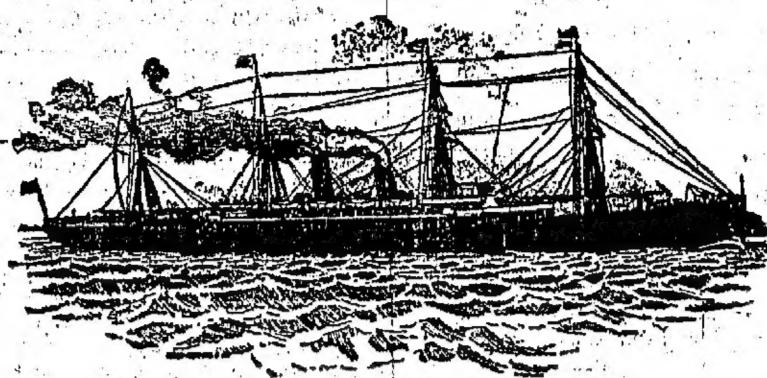
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WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of February, 1906, at Noon, the Steamship ZIETEN, Captain V. BINZER, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling at NAPLES and GENOA. Bhipping Orders will be granued till Noon, on Monday, the 26th February, Cargo and Specie will be received on Board until 6 p.m. on Tursday, the 27th February, and Parcols will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon, on Tuesday, the 27th

Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than above on MONDAY, the 5th March, p.m. This Steamer has splendid accommode. The Steamer has splendid accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardesses.

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### Notices to Consignees.

BOSTON TOW BOAT COMPANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YORO HAMA, KOBE, MOJI AND SHANGHAI.

THE above Steamer having arrived Conto send in their Bills of Lading countereignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Rire Insurance will be effected by u in any case whatever. - DODWELL & Co., Lito.,

Hongkong, February 14, 1966.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL A STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S

STEAMER PERA FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, MALTA, PORT SAID, SUEZ, AND STRAITS.

NONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovethat their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon where each Consign. ment will be sorted out Mark by Mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as

the Goods are landed. This vessel brings on Cargo ;--From London, &c., ox s.a. Peshawur. Optional Goods will be landed Bere unless instructions are given to the contrary before 6 Hours. Goods not cleared by the 13th Inst.,

at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. Damaged packages must be left in the Godewns for examination by the Consignees and the Company's representative at an appointed hour. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns. E. A. HEWETT,

. Superintendent Hongkong, February 13, 1906,

NORDDEUTSCHER, LLOYD, BREMEN. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE Steamship

PRINZESS, ALICE having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Yaluables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Honorong & Kow-LOON WHARP, AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, Kowloon, whence delivery may London OFFICE-THREADNEEDLE HOUSE. be obtained

Optional Oargo will be forwarded unloss notice to the contrary be given before 5 P.M. TO-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after 19th Instant, will be subject to rent All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods

will be examined on MONDAY, 19th Inst. All Chims must reach us before the 24th instant, or they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

### Notices to Consignees.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATIO COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM UALOUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

having arrived from the above Ports Consignees of Cargo by her are heroby informed that their goods will be delivered

argo impeding the discharge or re-ning on board after at 4 P.M., the 17th will be landed at Consignees' risk and No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,
General Managers. Hongkong, February 15, 1906.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. PENINGULAR & ORIENTAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER BANCA.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, MALTA, PORT SAID, SUEZ AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongrond and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. Optional goods will be landed hers unless instructions are given to the contrary

Goods not cleared by the 20th Inst., at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. Godowns for examination by the Con- may transfer at their option balances of signees and the Company's representative as an appointed hour. All Claims must be

be recognised. No Claims will be ad mitted after the Goods have left the Superintendent. Hongkong, February 14, 1906,

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MEMORANDUM.

### SPORTING.

The only League Cricket match on Saturday resulted in a win for Kowloon by 41 runs. The scores were :-

League Cricket.

ARMY STATE. O'Neill, & Curwen, b Martin Pilley, c and b Dixon ... ... ... Capt. Shinkwin, b Dixon ... ... Sergt. Steele, b Martin ... ... Frost, c Robinson, b Martin ... ... Ingmire, b Dixon ... ... ... Heponstall, b Dixon ... ... ... Hutton, b Dixon ... ... ... Rogerson, bDixon... ... Unwin, not cut ... ... ... Holbrook, b Dixon

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Dixon Dixon, b Pilley Martin, o Holbrook, b Pilley ... Witchell, e Hutton, b Rogerson ... 20 Robinson, b Ingmire ... ... Swan, c Frost, b Rogerson ... ... Curwen, b Ingmire ... ... Dungan, b Ingmire Pilo, o and b O'Neill Mackenzie, not out Goldsmith, b O'Neill Extras ...

Racing.

Ingmire

Bowling Analysis,

5" The Knight's Cup," value \$250 and distance Shalf Za Tmile, by which the "Off Day" events were brought to a close on Saturday was run after we went and containing on that side by admeasureto press. There were nine starters and the ment 26 feet 2 inches of assize little more placed ponies were :-

H. E. The Governor's Shimcosite, ... 10st, 10lb. (Capt, Leslie) Mr A C. Haynes' Sirocco, 10st. 7lb. ... (Mr Dupree) Messra T. F. Hough and R. Shewan's Promised Land, 10st 12lb. (Mr Mackie)

Time 1min. 61 secs. mutuel rewarded those who followed the less; Area 2,522 square feet. Crown Governor's colours by paying the handsome | Rent 28. On this Lot stands the valuable dividend of \$103.10 on the winner. I leasehold messuage and premises known as Placed, first \$26.40, second \$7.50 and third No. 26 Caine Road.

#### Yachting.

THE CORINTHIAN CLUB.

The race for the one-design class of the Corinthian Yacht Club for a cup presented by the Vice-Commodore, Mr E. M. Hazeland, was sailed yesterday. The following boats took part ;- " Hibernia" (Mr Withers), "Gael" (Capt. Casey), "Theola" (Mr Lenfesty), "Nina" (Mr Shapherd), "Asthore" (Mr Hand). The yachta atarted well together, "Gael" being last. Despite the stiff breeze blowing al boats declined to reef. A hard beat up against wind and tide to Meyer's East buoy gaw "Asthore" gain somewhat. Standing over to Hongkong shore the last named passed East Point well to windward, but failing to weather a junk at anchor had to go about sharp, taking in a lot of water. "Asthore" rounded the buoy first and maintained her lead to the finish, winning easily from "Nina", "Ribernia" being next, then " Theela " and " Gael."

### Volunteer Reserve Association.

There was a fair mustor of members to take part in the 200 yards shooting on Captain Counter, will be despatched for Saturday and Sunday last. Mr J. the above ports on TUESDAY, the 20th McCubbin won the Pool competition with Inst., 5 a.m., a score 54+14=68. Following are the principal scores.

H. T. Richardson, 70 E. Sullivan, 68 W. T. Hoskin, J. H. Pidgeon (scr)67 E. B. Shepherd, W. D. Braidwood, 67 E. W. Terrey, 67 Capt, Barnes A. H. Tyack, Lawrence. 67 T. P. Cochrane, A. J. Williams, 66 P. L. Miller, J. C. Gow (ser) 66 R. Brooks, A. Blowey, 68 G. H. Hastings, J. N. Jones; J. H. Underwood 66 A. G. Newington, 56 66 W. Daniel, A. Joseph. D. J. Mckenzie, 65 J. Hutchings G. K. Haxton, 64 A. S. Gubbay, 64 L. Gibbs, J. M. Henderson, 64 J. S. Lewingdon, 64 A. W. J. Watt, 52 W. H. T. Davis, 63 H. W Fraser, 52 E. J. Moses, 62 W. B. A. Moore, 52

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO.'S

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, MALTA PORT SAID, SUEZ AND STRAITS.

STEAMER JAVA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above. LOON WHARF AND GODOWN CO., LIMITED, named Vessel are hereby informed whence delivery may be obtained: that their Goods are being landed and This Vessel brings cargo :placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's transhipped at Triesto.

Godowne at Kowloon, where each consign. From Trieste ex s.s. Imperator tranment will be sorted out Mark by Mark, and shipped at Bombay. delivery can be obtained as soon as the From Zanzibar ox s.s. Bohemia tran-Goods are landed.

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me in any case whatever. appointed hour. All claims must be pre- pieed. sented within ten days of the steamer's No Fire Insurance has been effected, and arrival here, after which date they cannot any Goods remaining in the Godowns after he recognised. No claims will be admitted | the 28th February, will be subject to rent. after the goods have left the Godowns, E. A. HEWEIT.

Superintendent. Hengkong, February 19, 1906.



CIPRING TERM begins WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 9 4 M. Hongkong, February 19, 1906.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

MAR GEO. P. LAMMERT has received instructions to Sell at his Aucrion ROOMS in DUDDELL ETREET,

FRIDAY,

the 2nd day of MAROH, 1908, at 3 r.M.,-The following: VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY

in Two Lots namely :--

LOT 1. ALL THAT piece or parcel of Lessehold Ground known and registered in the Land Office as SECTION A OF SUB-SECTION No. 1 SECTION A OF IN-LAND LOT No. 148 abutting in front towards the North on CAINE ROAD and containing on that side by admessurement FOR SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA AND 29 feet 10 inches of assize little more or less; in rear towards the South on a right of way and containing on that side by ITHE Steamship admersurement 29 feet 10 inches of assize little more or less; towards the East on the | Captain Banks, will be despatched for Lot No. 148 and containing on that side February, at 4 p.m. less; and towards the West of the qualified doctor and Stewardesses. Remaining Portion of Subsection A of Inland Lot No. 148 and containing on that side by admeasurement at the centre of a party wall 66 feet of assize little nore or less. Area 2,098.06 square feet. Orown Rept 87. On this Lot stands the valuable leasehold messuage and premises known as No. 24 Cains Road.

LOT 2. ALL THAT piece or parcel of leasehold ground known and registered in the Land Office as THE REMAINING PORTION OF SUBSEC TION NO. 1 OF SECTION A OF INLAND LOT NO. 148 abutting it front towards the North on Caine Road or less; in rear towards the South on right of way and containing on that aide 26 feet 2 inches of assize little more or less tow rasthe Kast on Section A of Subsection No. 1 of Section A of Inland Lot No. 148 and containing on that side by admessurement at the centre of a party wall 66 feet of assize little more or less and on the West towards a right of way and containing on Shimeosite had few backers but the pari. I that side 66 feet of assize little more or

Both of the above properties are held for the residue of a term of 999 years created by a Crown Lesse dated the 17th February

Particulars and Conditions of Sale may be obtained from Mesars JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER. 8 Des Voeux Road Central, Vendor's Solicitors,

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FOR AMOY, STRAITS AND RANGOON.

Captain T. P. BABB, will be despatched

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., Hongkong, February 19, 1906.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVI

GATION COMPANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

FROM TRIESTE, FIUME, PORT SAID,

SUEZ, ADEN, KARACHI, BOMBAY, COLOMBO, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. THE Company's Steamship Persia. having arrived. Consignees of

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From Venice ex's.s. Calipso and Leda,

shipped at Aden. Optional goods will be landed here un From Zante ex s.s. Aglaja, transhipped Optional Cargo will be discharged here

immediately. No Fire Insurance will be effected by No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godewns, and all Damaged packaged must be left in the Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Godowne for examination by the Con- Undersigned before Noon, on the 28th signees' and the Co,'s representatives at an | February, 1906, or they will not be recog-

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SANDER, WIELER & Co.,

Hengkong, February 18, 1906,

To-day's Advertisements To-day's Advertisements



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PRINCESS TOTO

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HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE, Hongkong Office. Hongkong, February 19, 1906.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMER OOEANIEN. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NUNSIGNEES of Cargo from Londos er s.s. Matapan; from HAVRE -O. M. S. N. Co. ex 8.8. Matapan, in connection with above Steamer, are hereby informed Kampel, Bangkok Feb. 12, Rice .- Burthat their Goods, with the exception TERFIELD & SWIRE. of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks into the hazardous and/or extra hazar General .- JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. doug Godowns of the Hongrone & Kow-LOON WHARF and GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Conit to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned, and Goods remaining

unclaimed after MONDAY, the 20th February, 1908, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All claims must be sent in to me on or hefore the 26th February, or they will not

All damaged packages will be examined | Wood .- Dodwell & Con LD. on MONDAY, the 26th February, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hougkong, February 19, 1906.

POST OFFICE NOTICES, Hailan, for Heihow.

Mails will close :-For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOOHOW

Per Haiching, at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, the 20th Feb. For MACAO. -Per Heungshan, at 1.15 p.m., on Tues-

day, the 20th Feb. For SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA& KOBE Per Silesia, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the Laertes, for Shanghai.

For KUTORINOTZU, NAGASAKI & Per Yangiste, at 8 p.m., on Tuesday, the 20th Feb. For SHANGHAL .-

Per Lycemoon, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, Hanyang, for Saigon, the 20th February. For MANILA .-Per Taming, at S p.m., on Tuesday, the

For SINGAPORE. Per Antenor, at 4 p.m., on Tuesday, the For TSINGTAU & VLADIVOSTUCK. Per Kowloon, at 10 a.m., on Wednes-

day, the 2ist Feb. For SHANGHAL NAGASAKI, KOBE YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA, & VAN COUVER, B.C.-

Per Turiar, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 21st Feb. For SHANGHAL.

Per Yiksang, at 2 p.m., on Wednesday the 21st Feb. as above on SUNDAY, the 25th Inst., at For KOBE, YOKOHAMA & PORTLAND. Per Arabia, at 4 p.m., on Wednesday, Mr and Mrs Bumb, Messus Ricefield and

the 21st February. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-CUTTA. Per Namsang, at 2 p.m., on Thursday, Singapore: for Yokohama, Mr.A. C. Smith.

For MANILA .sellles, Mesera Greilsommar and Migue I'er Loongsang, at 3 p.m., on Friday, Pla; from Singapore, Rev. Gebriel, Messr Mordrunt, Hawley, Buxton, G. and A For MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND, Dugaze; from Saigon, Messrs A. S. Orock COOKTOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNS- and R. E. S. Bird. VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, Per Silesia, from Singapore, Messra HOBART, LAUNOESTON, NEW Schmidt, Knudsen, Gerder, Miss Buh-ZEALAND, MELBOURNE, mann, Mr Briegleb, and Mr and Mrs ADELAIDE & PERTH .-Kello.

Per Yawata Maru, at 3 p.m., on Friday, Per Salazie, for Hongkong : from Kobe, A the 23rd Feb. hai, Mrs Ella Shaw, Messrs Oelrichs, FOR MANILA. Silva, Groning, Heymann, H. Popier, E. Per Zafiro, at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the 24th February. For MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VIC-

Per Tremont, at 10 a.m., on Saturday,

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the 24th February.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Salarie will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 20th Feb., with Mails for the United Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlementa, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, Madras, the Austra-lasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the

Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m. Registration at 10 a.m. Registration, with late fee of 10 cents ap to 10.45 c.m. Registration, Kowloon B.O., 19 a.m. No late fee.

Lotters at II a.m. Late Letters 11 to 11.30 a.m. Extra Postage 10 cental (Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be in cluded in this contract mail.)

SHIPPING.

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL

SUPPLIED THROUGH BEUTER! Cambroman, January 9; Prinz Hein-

rich, Indrawadi, Menelaus, Trieste,

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ARRIVALS AT HOME.

The P. M. S. S. Co. s s.s. Siberia with

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.a. Empress of India

Steamers Expected.

the 21st Feb.

the 24th February.

Hongkong and Manila.

February, at 10 a.m.

26th January.

March 13th.

on the 18th February, and is expected

to arrive here on the 20th February.

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New York for China and Japan on the

Shanghai on the 10th February for

Singapore for this port fon the 14th

from Portland on the 13th February.

and should arrive in Hongkong about

Scattle, arrived at Yokohama on

Friday, the 16th February, at 9 a.m.

The Boston Co.'s s.s. Tremont sailed from

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February 18, Gueisen at.

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Vancouver.

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February 17. Yanglae, British str., 4,149, W. Cope-Lycett, Liverpool via Colorabo Jan. 7, and Singapore Feb. 11, General, - Byrren FIELD & SWIRE.

Kioyei Maru, Japaneso steamer, 1,495, Kawamura, Kobe via Mojl February 12 Matchesand General .- ABNHOLD, KARBERO

February 18. Haiching, British steamer, 1,276, A. E. Hodgins, Foochow Feb. 15, Amoy 16, and Swatow 17, General.-Douglas STRAMSHIP

Persia, Austrian str., 9,223, Oraglietto, Trieste and Singapore Feb. 12, General.-SANDER, WIELER & Co.

Luertes, British str., 2,385, B. Husband, Liverpool and Singapore Feb. 12, General. -BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Salazie, Fronch steamer, 2,122, Ailland, Shanghai Feb. 16, Mails and General.-

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. Triumph, German str., 769, A. Hansen, Shanghai, via Feechow, Amoy and Swatow February 12, General. - OSAKA SHOSEN KAIBHA:

Chow Tai, German steamer, 1,115, W. Mollermann, Bangkok and Swatow Feb. 17, General. - BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Ningpo, British str., 1,229, G. W. Ecdy, Chinking Feb. 13, Rice. - BUTTERFIELD

Frithiof, Norwegian str., 891, Haraldsen, Anping, via Amoy and Swatow February 17. General. - USARA SHOREN KAISRA. Lycemoon, German str., from Canton.

February 19. Loongsang, British str., 1,128, A. E. Sandbach, Manila February 16, General .-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Java, British str., 2,631, S. Barcham, London January 7, and Singapore Feb. 13, General .- P. & O. S. N. Co. -Sileria, German steamer, 3,780, Bable, The B. L. steamer Bengali lieft Singapore Hamburg and Singapore Feb. 13, General, -HAMBURG AMERIKA LINIE.

Chi Yuen, Chinese steamer, 1,170, C. Stewart, Shanghai February 16, General. Andree Rickmers, German' str., 1,020

The Java-China-Japan Lin steamer Hangsang, British str., 1,356, S. Wilde, Shanghai Folymary 15, and Swatow 18, Oceanien, French str., 2,528, Couret, The Barber Line s.s. Satsuma sailed from Marseilles January 21, and Scigon Feb.

16. Mails and General. - MESSAGRRIES MARITIMES. Thura, Norwegian steamer, 2,419; H. signess before 2 r.H., To-DAY, requesting | Berger, Kutchinotzu February 13, Coal .-

The P. & O. Co.'s a.s. Formosa fleft Nord. Norwegian str., 1.074, E. Sandberg, Moji February 18, Coal, -ORDER. Kweichow, British str., 1,210, Carnaghau, The P. & A. Co.'s s.s. Nicomedia sailed Shanghai via Swatow Feb. 18, General .-BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Windsor, British str., 1,853, John B. Booth, Fremantle W.A., Feb. 2, Sandal The Great Northern s.s. Minnesota, from Hany ing. British str., from Canton.

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SHIPPING REFORTS.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

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20th February, with Mails for Macao,

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Java for Shanghai.

DEPARTURES.

Latest Advices. February 18, The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Delta with the Daigi Maru, for Swatow. ENGLISH MAIL of the 26th January. Loyal, for Bangkok. Singapore on Sunday, the Faurang, for Foodbow. 18th February, at 8 s.m., and may be expected here on or about Friday, Merapi, for Amoy. the 23rd February, at 8 a.m.. This Choysang, for Swatow. packet brings replies to letters des-Paoting, for Swatow. patched from Hongkong on the 26th Victoria, for Saigon. December, and the parcel mails closed Lennox, for Calcutta. in London for despatch by the all sea Brunhilde, for Canton. soute on the 17th of January and for despatch overland on the 24th Jan. February 19. Imp. German Mail e.s. Ziefen left Heimdal, for Saigon. Kobe, via Nagasaki and Shanghai on Ningpo, for Canton. Sunday afternoon, the 18th February, Samsen, for Swatow.

and may be expected here on or about. Tuesday, the 27th February. The Imp. German Mail s.s. Preusen which left here on Wednesday, the Yangteze, for Kutchinotau and Tacoma.

14th February, at noon, arrived at Singapore on Sunday, the 18th Feb., at 9 p.m. The s.s. Arraicon Apear, from Calcutta, left Singapore on the- 18th February, and may be expected here on on about the 23rd February.

VERREIS AT THE DOCES - At Kotoloon Per Haiching, from Coast Ports, Mr and U.S.A.T. Soward, Hyades, Tyr, Vigilante, Mrs Thomas, Messre D. H. Cameron, G. E. Anderson, J. W. Clark, M. Medard, Empress of Japan, H.M.S. Hecla, H.M.S. Miss Alplonsen, Miss M. Palmer, Masters Janus, Apinrade, Likin. J. and H. Palmer, A. and W. Jenkins, W. Comopolitan. - Chibli, Shantung, Ara-Thom, and Whitfield, Miss J. Thom, Miss

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and Mr Johannson.  Per Loongsong, from Manila, Messrs Brown and Valentin.  Per Java, for Hongkong: from London, Lieut. D. Black, Messra Oldenburg, J. H.		Previous day at 4 p.m.	On date at		
Chalmers and G. Wybrow; from Singa- Mr and Mrs Bumb, Messrs Ricefield and Hadert. From London: for Shanghai, Mr and Mrs F. Rayden, 4 children and amah; for Yokohama, Miss N. Martin, Mr J. L. Belben, Surg. and Mrs R. F. Bate. From Singapore: for Yokohama, Mr A. C. Smith. Per Oceanien, for Hongkong: from Mar- sellles, Messra Greilsommar and Miguel Pla; from Singapore, Rev. Gebriel, Messra Mordrunt, Hawley, Boxton, G. and A.	Barometer Temperature Humidity Direction of Wind Force Weather Rain	29.87 Gi 99	30.01 59 98 E 3 od 0.01	29.89 59 99 8 4 of	

F. G. Frag, First Assistant. Hongkong Observatory, Feb. 18th, 1906. RAMBLE THROUGH SOUTHERN

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The Suez Canal Company collected dues last year to the amount of 113,829,667 france, against 115,783,607 france in 1904, and the number of vessels which used the A Canal in the course of the year was 4,116, againt 4,237 in 1904. This falling off is attributed to the lessened traffic caused by the cessation of the Russo-Japanese war.

Herr Ballin, general manager of the Hamburg-America Line has authorised the Kolnische Zeitung to state that there is not a word of truth in the newspaper reports of a pending fusion of his Company with the Norddentscher-Lloyd, Recent conferences only had for their object the confirmation and renewal of already existing conventions, and an understanding whereby any future differences between the two Companies may be settled in an amicable

#### Mersey Docks.

At a meeting of the Mersey Docks and Harbour Board in January, the Chairman Mr R. Gladstone) said that the land was ready for carrying out the scheme of dock extension which would be submitted to Parliament during the coming session. The first step would be to make two new Climbing Plants, Shrubs, Rose Trees and of the Establishment, Mrs MARIE FLINT, entrances in the river wall, each of them Bushes, and European Fruit Trees. Also in which the words 'sever connection' 135ft. wide, and there would be a vestibule dock, out of which the two others would accommodate steamers of 800ft, and possibly of 850ft. He understood that the draft of the new Cunarders would be 37 or 38ft., and the provision for such a depth was the chief item of cost in making docks. They also proposed to make a new dock of 11 acres at the Victoria Wharf, having 1,273 lines! yards of quay, and an entrance | THE Undersigned have received instruc-100ft. wide. The probable cost of the contemplated now works would be a little over £4,000,000, and it would take seven or cight years before they would be completed, so that the annual expenditure would be about half a million.

#### A New Coaster.

The steel s.s. "Cheong Shing" (meaning "Prosperous Promotion"), built by &c., &c., &c.; Mesers, W. Dobson and Co., Low Walkeron-Tyne, to the order of the Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited, of London, for their special service on the China coast, left the Type for her official trial trip on January 9. This vessel is of the spar-deck type, with bridge and forecastle, and her dimensions are 265ft. by 40%. by 23ft. She is designed to carry a deadweight of about 2,600 tons on a light draft, and is suitably arranged for the to Sell by Public Auction, Company's Eastern trade, the upper decks being all of teak, accommodation being provided for a limited number of European and Chinese passengers. The 'tween-decks are intended for carrying Chinese coolies, all the necessary native galleys, etc., being VALUABEE HOUSEHO provided. The vessel is lighted throughout with electricity. The propelling machinery. which has been constructed, of the Northumberland Engine Works, Wallsend. of the North-Eastern Marine Engineering Company, Limited, consists of a set of their latest type of triple-expansion engines, having cylinders 20in. 33iv. and 53in., by S9in. stroke, steam being supplied by a large steel boiler working at a pressure of lary, 1906. 180lbs, per square inch, fitted with Howden's forced draught arrangements. On the trial run the machinery worked without the slightest hitch, a mean speed to 113 knots being easily maintained.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S

STEAMER FORMOSA. FROM BOMBAY AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by therabove-named Vessel are hereby Mormed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and KOWLOON WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Gonowka at Kowloon where each Consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

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before 6 Hours. Goods not cleared by the 27th Inst., the Australian line Australian bound for at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me | Passage Tickets and through Bills of

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E. A. HEWETT. Superintendent. Hopgkong, Pebruary 20, 1965.

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Hongkong, February 20, 1906.

ORNAMENTAL PLANTS. Evergreen, in a local journal, made by a late employee Flower and Vegetable Soeds, Bulbs, etc., eccur. etc. A visit to 37, DES VŒUX ROAD

PLANTS

PUBLIC AUCTION.

tions from the CAPTAIN SUPERIN-TENDENT OF POLICE, to Sell by Public

MONDAY,

the 26th February, 1906, at 11 A.M., at the CENTRAL POLICE STATION'S COMPOUND. -SUNDRY OBSOLETE AND Comprising :--

RICE, SUGAR, OLD METAL, CLOTHING, A Quantity of SILVER, GOLD and

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Hongkong, February 20, 1906. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from Basil H. TAYLOR, Esq.,

MONDAY the 28th February, 1906, commencing at

2.45 P.M., at his Residence No. 2. MOUNTAIN VIEW, The Peak, A QUANTITY OF FURNITURE, (Particulars from Catalogue),

A Quantity of PLANTS IN POTS. JAPANESE and other WATER COLOURS. Une Bicycle;

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On view from Saturday, the 24th Febru-GEO. P. LAMMERT,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, February 20, 1906.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc tions to Sell by Public Auction,

TUESDAY, the 27th February, 1905, commencing at 2.45 P.M., at ' BROOMHURST' (No. 119)

PLANTATION ROAD, The Peak,-A QUANTITY OF and Tennis Court, from 1st May VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. (Particulars from Catalogue). TERMS :- As Customary.

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DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW.

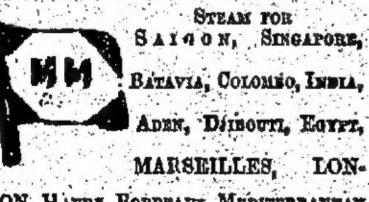
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Hongkong, February 20, 1906.

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> the Western and of Wing Lok Street. BAM WANG COY. 81, Queen a Road Central.

> > Temperature Hondkong, February 20.

The Steamer's Wharl at Hongkong is at

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#### BHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

February 19. Zafiro, British str., 1,618, R, Rodger, Manila Bebruary 17, General. SHEWAN, Tomes & Co.

Albert Rickmers, Gorman ship, 1,860 Halesburch, New-Work Sept. 6, Kerceine. -STANDARD OIL CO. Hongkong, French atr., 742, A. Buttoni, Haiphong and Holhow Feb. 18, General .-

A. R. MARTY.

Jacob Duderichsen, German steamer, 623, D. Henk, Halphong, via Pakhol and Hollow Feb. 18, General.—JEBEN & Co. February 20.

Formosa, British steamer, 2,615, B. W. H. Snow, Bombry Feb. 3, and Singapore 14, General .- P. & O. S. N. Co. Ellerbek, German steamer, 1,999, Martens, Hamburg, via Antwerp and Newport Dec. 18, Coal and General .-

Borussia, German steamer, 6,951, Ph. Hahn, Wilhemshaven Jan. 13, General.-HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE. Bengali, British steamer, 5,665, L. P.

G.bson, R.N.R., London January B, via Colombo and Singapore Feb. 14, General. -SANDER, WIELER & Co. Chunsang, Britisk str., 1,417, R. Cox, Hongay February 17, Coal. - JARDINE,

MATHESON & Co. Decidee, French gunboat, from Canton. DEPARTURES.

February 20. As this phrase is liable to misconstruc- Coptic, for Shanghai and San Francisco. Laertes, for Shanghai. Chiquen, for Canton. Kipeichow, for Canton. Yangteze, for Kutchinotzu and Tacoma, Hanyang, for Baigon. Haiching, for Swatow.

> Taming, for Manile. Lycemoon, for Shanghai. Pronto for Saigon. Panther, Austria-Hungary cr., for Macao.

Keongwai, for Swatow.

Frithjof, for Swatow. Silesia, for Shanghai.

Per Zafiro, from Manila, Mr and Mrs G. W. Beattie and child. Mr and Mrs M. Velasco, Mrs B. Anderson, Misses Hazel Lynn, M. Velasco, C. Velasco, B. Leorai 1, and M. Agoncillo, Mr and Mrs Morse, Misses A, and C. Morse, Messre Jas. Graham, R. Siebenschein, A. G. Gordon, J. Agoncillo, G. Kannatz, and 45 Chinese.

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child and amab, and Consul General Geo: E. Anderson. SHIPPING REFORTS.

The British steamer Zafra reports : Light N.E. winds, smooth see all the way

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will close:-

Per Hongkong, at 9 a.m., on Wednesday, the 21st February. YOKOHAMA, VIOTORIA, & VAN

COUVER, B.C. Per Tartar, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 21st Feb.

For MACAU .-Por Houngshan, at 1.15 p.m., on Wednesday, the 21st Feb. For KUTCHINOTZU.

Por Thyra, at 4 p.m., on Wednesday, the 21st February. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-Por Namsang, at 2 p.m., on Thursday, the 22nd Feb.

For SWATOW & SHANGHAL-Por Yiksang, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 22nd Feb. FOR AMOY & MANILA. Per Zafire, at 8 a.m., on Friday, the

23rd February. For MANILA. Per Loongsang, at 3 p.m., on Friday, the 23rd Feb. or MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNS. VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, HOBART, LAUNCESTON, NEW ZEALAND, MELBOURNE,

Per Yawata Maru, at 3 p.m., on Friday, the 23rd Feb. For MOJI, KOBE, YUKUHAMA, VIC-TORIA & TACOMA. Per Tremont, at 10 a.m., our Saturday, the 24th February.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.

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British Contract Packet Dollai will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 24th February, with Mails for the United Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and countries beyond, sia Brinding, to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Veylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m. Registration at 10 a.m. Registration, with late fee of 10 cents,

No late fee. 9 4. M. ... 29.92 Letters at 11 a.m. Late Letters 11 to 11.30 a.m. Extra (Supplementary Mail on board up to the

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL. [SUPPLIED THROUGH BRUTEE].

Cambroman, January 9; Prinz Hein rich, Indrawadi, Menelaus, Trieste, 12; Gisle, 16; Armand Behic, Lochtay, 19; Rhactia, Buevia, Lothian, 23; Annam, Diomed, Charce, Munica, Longsor, 26; Slavonia, Fallodon Hall, Glenearn, Afghan Prince, Borussia, Den of Kelly, Den of Mains, 30; Agamemnon, of Kelly, Den of Mains, 30; Agamemnon, Ernest Simons, Tydeus, Dacia, Heliopolis, February 2; Bencleuch, Berlomond, Norge, Merionethshire, Socotra, Indrani, Limao, Menzell, 6; Bayern, Nubia, Teenkui, Tonkin, Vandalia, 9; Needles, Palawan, Senegambia, Silvertown, Machaen, Polymers Trove, 13; Idomeneus, Machaen, Polynesien, Ulysses, 16.

The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Delta with the ENGLISH MAIL of the 26th January, M. left Singapore on Sunday, the Ma 18th February, at 8 a.m., and mry Ma be expected here on or about Friday, M. the 23rd February, at 8 a.m., This M packet brings replies to letters des- M patched from Hongkong on the 26th M December, and the parcel mails closed M in London for despatch by the all sea | M route on the 17th of January and for | M despatch overland on the 24th Jan. The Imp. German Mail s.s. Zie'en left N Kobe, via Nagasaki and Shanghai on Si

Sunday afternoon, the 18th February, 83 and may be expected here on or about | Se Tuesday, the 27th February: The Lun, German Mail B.s. Preusen which left here on Wednesday, the 14th February, at noon, arrived at Singapore on Sunday, the 18th Feb.,

The P. M. S. S. Co. s s.s Siberia with the AMERICAN MAIL left Yokohams on Wednesday, the 14th February, and may be expected here on or about the 24th Feb. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of Incia

left Yokohama on Friday afternoon, the 16th February, for Victoria and Vancouver. The Imp. German Mail s.s. Bayern carry. ing the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 3rd January, will leave Colombo on 21st February, (being delayed for 4 days owing to late.

Steamers Expected.

arrival).

The C. P. R. Co.'s.s.s. Athenian left Yokohama on Saturday afternoon, the 3rd February, for Victoria and Vancouver. The Java-China-Japan Lijn str. Tjimahi left Macassar for this port on the 12th

Feb., and may be expected here on or about the 20th Feb. The N. Y. K. s.s. Yawata Maru (Australian Line) left Nagasaki for this port on the 16th February, and is expected to arrive here on the 20th February. The B. L. steamer Bengali left Singapore on the 14th February, and is expected to arrive here on the 21st February.

The s.s. Radnorshire left Singapore on Wednesday, the 14th February, and is due here on or about Wednesday, the 21st Feb. The s.s. Arratoon Apour, from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 18th. February, and may be expected here on on about

Java-China-Japan Lijn steamer Tilliwong left Kobs, via Moji and Amoy for this port, on the 14th Feb., and may be expected here on or about the 24th February. The Barber Line s.s. Saisuma sailed from

the 23rd February.

New York for China and Japan on the 26th January. The Boston Co.'s s.s. Tremont sailed from Shanghai on the 10th February for Hongkong and Manila. The P. & A. Co.'s s.s. Nicomedia sailed

from Portland on the 13th February, and should arrive in Hongkong about March 13th. The Great Northern s.s. Minnesofa, from Seattle, arrived at Yokohama on China Sugar Company, Limited .....

Friday, the 16th February, at 9 a.m.

Latest Advices. The T. K. K. s.s. America Maru le Yokohama on the 19th February, and is expected to arrive here on or about the 2nd March.

The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Changeha, from Australian Ports, left Thursday Island on 16th February, and is due here on or about the 2nd March. The Boston Tow Boat Co.'s a.s. Lyra sailed

usual ports, on the 18th February.

VESSELS AT THE DOORS - At Koroloon U.S.A.T. Seward, Hyades, Tyr, Vigilante, Empress of Japan, H.M.S. Hecla, H.M.S. Janus, Likin.

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